The Weather
Today—Some rain in early morning, followed by partly cloudy, windy, colder weather. Much colder tonight. Saturday—Fair and cold. Yesterday—High, 66 at 2:22 p. m.; low, 48 at 1:40 a. m.
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Reds Told U. S. Opposes Attack on Tito

Yule Exodus Under Way By Plane, Rail, Bus

Peak of Travel Expected Today; Buying Tapers Off; Mail Record Set

By Melvin Altshuler
Post Reporter

Washington yesterday exchanged one Christmas rush for another—travel in place of shopping.

Downtown stores, while reporting business as "brisk," said crowds were tapering off.

"Customers are no longer standing four deep," a department store executive said. "You might say the big battle is over; all we've got left are the mopping up operations—and forgetful husbands."

But the railroads, airlines and long-distance bus companies said their "season" was just beginning.

Headed For New York

Pennsylvania Railroad dispatched 19 extra sections yesterday, most of them to New York. Forty-one sections are scheduled for today's expected travelers.

Airlines reported near-capacity reservations, with early morning air coach service completely booked.

Bus companies said a surprising number of Washingtonians, many of them Government workers utilizing unexpired sick leave, left the city yesterday.

All travel sources said the peak will be reached today between 4 p. m. and midnight.

Meantime, Washington Postmaster Roy North said Christmas mail collections in Washington were falling off.

But a record, he said, has been established in postal receipts for the first 21 days of December: $1,757,507 worth of stamps sold, compared to the previous record of $1,549,720 set the first 21 days of December, 1948.

Top report for sales, he said, was Wednesday's $155,000—$16,000 more than the best day the District postal system ever had.

For many Washingtonians, particularly those in Government and business offices, today will bring afternoon Christmas parties.

Classroom Parties

In all Washington area school systems, except Montgomery County, classroom parties were held yesterday to celebrate both Christmas and the fact it was that looked-forward-to event, the last day of school. In Montgomery County, students will attend classes for a half day today.

Walter Reed Hospital has given furloughs to all patients physically able to travel home for the holidays. For those who remain in

See DAY, Page 18, Column 1.

Guy Mason Visits Office First Time Since Heart Attack

Commissioner Guy Mason visited the District Building briefly yesterday for the first time since he suffered a heart attack September 30.

Mason

Accompanied by Mrs. Mason, he stopped by to wish his office staff and the other Commissioners a Merry Christmas and told them: "See you next week."

Dr. Paul F. Dickens, his physician, said Mason could not return to work on a fulltime basis until after the first of the year. He said he would prefer that Mason not go back to work until spring.

Lost Dog Recovered Through Post Ad

Bonnie, a Boxer puppy strayed from her home on Route 2, Alexandria, much to the sorrow of her owners. They wisely placed an ad in The Washington Post and Bonnie was returned to her home the morning the ad appeared.

Lost something? Found something? Every day lost and found items are being returned to their owners through Post want ads. Call NAtional 4200 and ask for an ad writer.

Amnesia Victim Is Identified

MRS. LORRAINE THOREN, formerly of Cleveland, Ohio, is in Gallinger Hospital after she was found wandering aimlessly through Washington streets. Physicians fear she has lost her memory completely. She was identified by a Fort Belvoir soldier who met her recently at a skating rink. (Story on Page 16)

CAB Examiner Backs Panam, Overseas Deal

Report Recommends Transfer of Airline For Some $17,450,000

Purchase of the far-flung American Overseas Airways, Inc., by the Pan American Airways, Inc., moved one step closer yesterday.

An examiner for the Civil Aeronautics Board, Thomas L. Wrenn, recommended approval of the deal, which involves transfer of the American Overseas to Panam for approximately $17,450,000.

The transaction must still be approved by the five-member CAB. In turn CAB will make its recommendations to President Truman, who has final decision in all matters relating to international air lines.

If finally completed, the deal probably will mean additional direct routes between Washington and Europe. Among its other services, American now operates one round trip a week to Europe from the National Airport here. Panam has permission to use Washington as a trans-Atlantic terminal, but at present operates all such flights out of New York City.

The proposal was bitterly opposed by Trans-World Airlines, one of the three lines with authorization for overseas operations under the 1945 Trans-Atlantic Air Policy Decision.

Trans-World has charged, among

See PANAM, Page 16, Column 5.

Card From Toppy Tips Off Police Christmas Is Here

By The Associated Press

The Christmas season is now official for the Police Department's check and fraud squad—it has received its annual greetings from Toppy.

Homemade, but merry and bright, Toppy's card says:

"With every good wish for Christmas cheer and joy for a happy New Year to Sergeant Higgins, Sergeant Luskey and Miss Huff." Miss Huff is the squad's secretary.

Toppy, whose real name is Bernard L. Downey, has known members of the check and fraud squad since 1944. He now lives at 954 Forrest st., Baltimore.

That's the Maryland Penitentiary.

Yugoslavs Laud U. N.

Lake Success, N. Y., Dec. 22 (U.P.)—Yugoslavia today cabled congratulations to the United Nations Children's Emergency Fund on completion of the second year of the fund's world-wide program.

NLRB Rules Farm Group Not a Union

By Sam Stavisky
Post Reporter

The National Labor Relations Board yesterday overruled General Counsel Robert Denham and held that a union of farm workers cannot be prosecuted for violating the Taft-Hartley Act, because it is not a "labor union" within the meaning of the law.

In the first ruling of its kind by the board, the NLRB unanimously dismissed charges of secondary boycott—prohibited by the Taft-Hartley Act—against a local of the AFL National Farm Union. The board held, on the other hand, that a local of the AFL Wine Workers, and a unit of the AFL Teamsters, did violate the law.

The charges arose from a strike by Kern County Farm Labor Union at the ranch of the Di Giorgio Fruit Corp. of Bakersfield, Calif.

The strike, and the resulting actions by employer and labor groups, have been subject for discussion in Congressional hearings. Farm employer organizations have been urging that the board uphold Denham's ruling against the local; unions have been calling for the Denham decision to be overruled.

The board rejected the contention of Denham that, although a union of farm laborers can not bring unfair labor practice charges against farmers or get NLRB representation elections under the Taft-Hartley Act, it is nevertheless subject to prosecution for unfair labor practices forbidden to labor organizations.

The panel upheld the ruling of Trial Examiner A. Bruce Hunt, who said: "While it is beyond doubt that Congress intended that agricultural laborers should not avail themselves of the benefits of the act, there certainly is no indication that, in addition to this disqualification, Congress intended to place them at the further disadvantage of being unable to use picketing at the scene of the primary strike in all ways which are lawful for a majority of union employes."

The board found Local 45 of the

See NLRB, Page 2, Column 5.

Mercury to Dip Sharply Tonight After Reaching 66

The springlike weather that came with Washington's first full day of winter yesterday is to be replaced abruptly by tonight with "considerably colder" temperatures.

This was the Weather Bureau forecast last night after the mercury reached 66 degrees at 2:22 p.m. It wasn't the record December 22, though, because that came in 1889 with a high of 72 degrees.

The weather forecast said that there would be rain through the night, ending this morning, followed by partly cloudy and colder weather today and "considerably colder" tonight. The weatherman still says no snow is in sight for Christmas.

The anticipated cold here will come from a storm which has covered the western two-thirds of the country for two days. It is credited with 23 deaths, snow, sleet; shattered communications, skidding cars on ice-glazed highways, and damage to perishable crops. The cold area covers almost the entire country west of the Allegheny Mountains.

Downey Expects Straus to Go Soon

Sacramento, Calif., Dec. 22—(AP) Senator Sheridan Downey (R., Calif.) said today he has "information I regard as authoritative" that Reclamation Commissioner Michael W. Straus will be "out" shortly after the first of the year.

The Senator noted that Straus' boss, former Secretary of the Interior J. A. Krug, recently resigned and was replaced by Oscar C. Chapman.

Eisenhower Not to Run in '52, Flat Prediction by Truman

Associated Press Photo

Clark M. Clifford (right) congratulates Charles S. Murphy, his successor as special counsel to the President

By Edward T. Folliard
Post Reporter

Charles S. Murphy, who started his Government career as a $1500-a-year laborer in a North Carolina postoffice, will succeed Clark M. Clifford as counsel to the President. The job pays $20,000 a year.

President Truman made the announcement yesterday at a White House news conference, his first since returning from Florida.

Mr. Truman also stated flatly that he did not think Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower will be a candidate for the presidency in 1952. It was a case, he said, of taking Ike's word for it.

Other highlights of the press-radio conference:

The Chief Executive is optimistic over the Nation's business outlook for 1950.

There is not a word of truth in

See TRUMAN, Page 23, Column 3.

Guard Unit Here Frozen At 1850 Men

Strength of the District National Guard has been frozen at its present level of 1850 officers and men for the rest of the Government's fiscal year, it was announced last night. The freeze does not affect air units with a present strength of approximately 500.

The National Guard Bureau of the Department of the Army ordered a Nation-wide cutoff on general recruiting and formation of new Guard units, according to Brig. Gen. W. H. Abendroth, commander of the District Guard.

Budgetary limitations were given as the reason for the National Guard Bureau's order. Recruiting in ground units has brought national strength to nearly 350,000 officers and men, all that funds were provided for by Congress.

The Air National Guard has not reached its strength of 45,000 personnel nationally, for which money was voted, so recruiting will continue in those units, for a time at least.

GOP Divided On Bipartisan Foreign Policy

By Robert C. Albright
Post Reporter

Spokesmen for opposing foreign policy wings of the Republican Party yesterday divided down familiar lines on Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg's latest bipartisan foreign policy declaration.

"My only criticism of bipartisan foreign policy is that there hasn't been enough of it," said Senator Irving M. Ives (R., N. Y.).

"There's too much 'me tooism' in it," said Senator Arthur V. Watkins (R., Utah). "The Administration makes the policy and we (the Republicans) are supposed to take anything they hand us."

Vandenberg back at his post after a serious lung operation, Wednesday redefined bipartisan foreign policy as "unpartisan" foreign policy and predicted Republicans generally will continue to support it.

Ives, who supported the North Atlantic Pact, the Marshall Plan and other "unpartisan" moves abroad, said he was "fully in ac-

See POLICY, Page 23, Column 7.

'No Responsibility Whatsoever'

By Harry Goodwin—The Washington Post

BOLIVIAN PILOT LEAVES HOSPITAL—Erick Rios Bridoux (right), Bolivian P-38 pilot, tells Reporter Dick Morris (left) of The Washington Post, that he feels "no responsibility whatsoever" for the November 1 air collision over the Potomac River and crash in which 55 were killed. Bridoux, only survivor of the disaster, is pictured as he left Alexandria Hospital yesterday after 52 days. With him is Guillermo Gutierrez, Bolivian Ambassador to the Pan American Union. (Story on Page B-1)

In Underground Theater

3-Dimension Movies in Color Will Be Unveiled at Sesqui

By Chalmers Roberts
Post Reporter

Freedom Fair visitors next year will see the world's first three-dimensional movie in color.

According to officials of the National Capital Sesquicentennial Commission, the film will be made and shown by the Rockefeller Foundation. It is expected to be a historical story of America.

The movie will be shown in one of two 700-seat underground theaters now planned for the Fair and not revealed until last night. The second theater will be for radio and television broadcasts.

Colored television also is expected to go on public view at the fair, Sesqui officials said. They expect the Radio Corporation of America to show it at the big RCA exhibit.

Third dimensional movies—in which figures have depth as well as width and breadth—have been made before but they have heretofore required the theatergoer to view them through a special pair of glasses. The Rockefeller film, Sesqui officials said, eliminates this feature and adds color.

The film will be shown on a great screen with a 180-degree curve. Admission will be free to all who pay the 50-cent general admission to Freedom Fair. The same is true for the radio-television theater.

The twin theaters will be west of Freedom House, the first main structure on the line of East Capitol st. They will be entered on ground level from the Kingman

See SESQUI, Page 23, Column 1.

U. S. Refuses Rifles to China Agent

By John G. Norris
Post Reporter

The United States Government is refusing—on technical grounds—a request for the sale of 100,000 Springfield rifles from Army stocks "for the defense of Formosa."

A request for the sale of the weapons, plus 1000 rounds of ammunition per gun, was submitted to the Department of Defense November 28, by the Driggs Engineering Co. of New York, The Washington Post has learned.

Driggs is representing the Chinese National government, according to his application and Congressmen who sponsored him at the Pentagon.

State Department Consulted

Defense chiefs consulted the State Department and were told that policy dictated that arms export requests must be made formally and directly by the government concerned and not by an agent.

Such a reply, it is understood, will be made to the applicant and interested Congressmen. This would leave the way still open for the Chiang Kai-shek government to apply for the arms through diplomatic channels.

There was no indication what action then might be taken by the Department of Defense if this were done.

Aid Not All Spent

State Department sources pointed out that the Chinese Nationalists still have not spent all of the 125-million-dollar military aid program approved by Congress and declared that they are free to buy arms in this country with their own funds in unlimited amounts.

State Department policy bars arms sales to Communist countries and some others but not to China.

However, the transfer of arms from U. S. Army reserve stocks would involve other questions, such as the amount of the surplus needs of western Europe, and prospects of capture by Communists, should Formosa fall by revolution within or invasion.

Donations Free Mother and Baby Jailed in Aid Case

Philadelphia, Dec. 22 — (U.P.) Mrs. Lillian Gilyard, cuddling her baby son in her arms, walked out of prison late today after hundreds of persons chipped in to pay the $587 she owed the State.

The 38-year-old mother of nine children sobbed with happiness as she was given her freedom.

Mrs. Gilyard was sentenced to nine months yesterday for earning the $587 while collecting State public assistance totaling $3000.

Because the law says a mother cannot be separated from her baby, Mrs. Gilyard's 7-month-old son went to jail with her.

Officials received hundreds of telephone calls and telegrams offering to help repay her debt to the State. Some came from New York and Washington and from as far away as Buffalo, N. Y.

Court attaches estimated that more than $10,000 was offered.

Many of the callers were angry, and some said they were incensed the State could not wait at least until after the holidays before pressing its case.

Sales Tax Income Above $4,000,000

District sales tax collections on November sales yesterday totaled $1,105,300, bringing total receipts to $4,080,559 since the tax went into effect four months ago.

Sales Tax Administrator Allan F. Brooke yesterday said he expected $50,000 more by the end of the month from merchants granted extensions.

Receipts have increased each month since August.

Reply to McCarran

Carusi Denies DP Program Has Let in Spies or Criminals

By Thomas Winship
Post Reporter

Subversive and criminal offenses committed in the United States by persons admitted under the displaced persons program have been "practically nil," Ugo Carusi said here yesterday.

The DP commission chairman further asserted that to his knowledge not one questionable security risk has arrived in this country—"and got lost" since the DP program began a year and a half ago.

Though crossing his fingers, Carusi backed to the hilt the apparent success of the often-criticized DP screening procedure during his first interview since returning from a three-month field study abroad.

Senator Pat McCarran (D., Nev.), arch foe of the DP Act, said two weeks ago on his return from a simultaneous visit to European DP camps that those administering the act were "paying too little attention to security" . . . and that the legislation had "opened the gates to persons who will not become good American citizens."

Pointing to the elaborate method of screening homeless immigrants under the program, Carusi, in effect, warned any prospective Kremlin agent not to try coming to the United States under the guise of a DP.

"Screening for displaced persons is far and away more thorough and severe," said Carusi, "than for the regular immigration quota system."

Before a DP is cleared for the

See CARUSI, Page 12, Column 4.

He'll Study AEC Security Methods

Associated Press WIREPHOTO
JOHN S. BUGAS
Will head special group

Truman Delays Resignation Of Lilienthal

John S. Bugas to Head Special Study of AEC Security Measures

By Alfred Friendly
Post Reporter

President Truman announced yesterday that David E. Lilienthal will not resign from the chairmanship of the Atomic Energy Commission until next February 15.

The President said he had persuaded Lilienthal to stay for a bit beyond the anticipated date of his departure in order to wind up a few items of pending business.

When he submitted his resignation last month, Lilienthal had asked that it be effective on December 31. The President agreed, but added in a letter to him:

"I act, however, in full confidence that should the exigencies of the public interest demand, you can be prevailed upon to defer termination of your service to a time when your withdrawal will not upset plans for dealing with problems which may not have been determined by the end of the year."

In addition to completing action on "problems which may not have been determined," the President is thought to wish Lilienthal to remain until he has determined upon a successor.

Although many names of possible candidates for the key job have been heard in Washington, there has been little that could be called even rumor to the effect that any of them are under serious

See ATOMIC, Page 10, Column 4.

CBS to Begin Color TV Tests Here January 2

New York, Dec. 22—(AP)—The Columbia Broadcasting System announced today extensive tests of its color television method would begin January 2 in Washington, New York, and subsequently in Philadelphia.

Color telecasts, the network said, will be carried over Stations WCBS-TV and WOR-TV in New York, WOIC in Washington and WCAU-TV in Philadelphia at times when they are not carrying regularly scheduled black-and-white television programs.

Jose M. Casanova Dies

Havana, Cuba, Dec. 22 (U.P.)—Sen. Jose M. Casanova, 65, who rose from a humble field worker to become one of the richest and most powerful figures in Cuba, died tonight of a heart ailment.

As president of the Cuban Sugar Mill Owners Association, Casanova was virtual "czar" of the $700,000,000 industry which makes up between 30 and 40 per cent of the entire national income.

'Voice' Tells His Enemies Aggression Roils Truman

President's Statement Could Be Taken As Hint Yugoslavia Could Have Our Aid

By Ferdinand Kuhn
Post Reporter

President Truman let it be known yesterday that the United States is just as much opposed to aggression against Marshal Tito's Yugoslavia as against any other nation.

The President's statement, promptly relayed to Russia and the Balkans by the Voice of America, was made during a rapid-fire of questions and answers at his news conference.

Earlier in the day the President had given final instructions to George V. Allen, who plans to leave next Wednesday for his new post as American Ambassador in Tito's capital. Allen had told newspapermen that the President had reaffirmed to him America's "unalterable" opposition to aggression—against the Yugoslavs or anyone else.

Confirms Statement

That is true, the President said when asked to confirm Allen's statement. The questioner persisted:

"The question in mind is, is there any other country," he began, but the President cut him short.

We are opposed to aggression against any country, no matter where it is situated, Mr. Truman answered.

"Mr. President, your statement about aggression doesn't mean that there is any change in your policy toward Yugoslavia?"

Not at all, the President replied; that has always been our policy.

Questioned About Formosa

Another questioner asked whether the same policy applied to Formosa, now the headquarters of the Chinese Nationalist government.

The President said he couldn't answer that one, because Formosa is not a free country, but a part of Nationalist China which the United States still recognized.

Mr. Truman's words about aggression could, with some stretching, be construed as a hint to Russia not to attempt a direct attack on Yugoslavia, and as a hint to Tito that he could count on American support if his country were invaded.

Actually he was careful to keep his answer general, and his words about opposing aggression might or might not imply military help to the victim.

Officials here do not expect a

See YUGO, Page 10, Column 4.

Eleven Killed As Air Force B-50 Crashes

Savannah, Ga., Dec. 22 (U.P.)—A large plane crashed and burned in isolated marshlands near the Savannah River here tonight, and the commanding officer at Chatham Air Force Base here said he "assumed" it was a B-50 which took off only minutes earlier with 11 men aboard.

Air Force rescue crews reaching the scene of the crash said they saw no survivors.

The plane went down in abandoned rice fields, covered with water and undergrowth, and almost unreachable by vehicle or foot. The wreckage was in sight of U. S. Highway 17.

Searchlights were played on it from the highway, but there was no sign of life, South Carolina highway patrolmen reported.

Donaldson Sights Cuts in Budget All Along the Line

By The Associated Press

Postmaster General Donaldson said yesterday he expects President Truman to propose cuts all along the line in the budget for the fiscal year beginning next July 1.

Donaldson made the statement when he emerged from a two-hour huddle of Mr. Truman and all his Cabinet over the three weighty messages the President will lay before Congress in January.

Donaldson gave no over-all budget estimate. Officials have said Mr. Truman may work out a budget a half billion to one billion dollars below this year's anticipated spending of $43,500,000,000.

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Cleveland Hard Hit By Transit Strike

Second Threat

Truman Calls Blast Plot Outrageous

President Truman yesterday denounced as outrageous the attempt to blow up the headquarters of the CIO United Auto Workers in Detroit Tuesday night.

He suggested at his news conference that queries on what the Government might be able to do about it be directed to the Justice Department and called attention to a statement by Attorney General McGrath.

McGrath announced Wednesday night the FBI was investigating the incident.

Bomb Threat Is Sent To Bus Drivers Union

Detroit, Dec. 22 (AP).—Threat of another antiunion dynamite plot cropped up today as police investigated a sabotage attempt against the CIO United Auto Workers.

The threat was directed against the AFL bus drivers union, which also has its international headquarters here.

Police said they could not find any immediate connection with the planting of dynamite outside the UAW international offices Tuesday night. That charge did not go off because a fuse failed to work.

But they were taking no chances. Detroit has been the scene of a number of cases of antiunion violence in the last two years.

A two-page letter to Walter Stanley, business agent for the AFL union, contained the dynamite threat. Police did not say whether the letter stated any reason.

Stanley said he received the letter a week ago. He did not take it seriously at the time.

FBI Enters the Case

The bus drivers union has recently been embroiled in disputes involving the city's public transit system.

FBI agents entered the UAW investigation for the first time today. An agent examined the 39 sticks of dynamite found outside the union headquarters.

Harry T. O'Connor, head of the Detroit FBI office, said his men were checking to learn whether Federal law violations had occurred.

Police continued efforts to trace the dynamite and the box that contained it. They said there were still no leads.

Late today a group of top police officers met to plan security measures to protect union officers. The UAW has already taken steps to guard its headquarters.

UAW President Walter Reuther said he believed an "antilabor, un-American group" was waging a "campaign of terrorism" against the UAW.

Cleveland, Dec. 22 (U.P.).—A public transportation strike affecting a million riders created a city-wide traffic jam of private automobiles today and caused the mayor to declare the Nation's sixth largest city in a "state of emergency."

The surprise strike of 5000 transit workers at the height of the Christmas shopping season brought out an all-time record volume of auto traffic, police said.

The mayor, under his "emergency" powers, set up an administration "share-the-ride" committee and suspended a city ordinance forbidding suburban and interurban bus lines from doing business within the city.

Burke invited the outside bus lines and taxi companies to "forget the Cleveland ordinance and come into the city."

But a survey of department stores revealed that Christmas shoppers were out in almost normal force. One store executive said, "We're doing even more business than we did yesterday. It's amazing but apparently most shoppers thought if they came down today they would avoid the usual crowds. It seems they all thought that."

Mayor Thomas A. Burke, meanwhile, blasted what he called "arrogant, selfish labor leaders" and said the city would not compromise with the AFL transit union, which voted the strike last night over a vacation pay dispute.

Burke said he saw little hope for an early settlement, after meeting with transit union officials. The strike, he said, "which comes only a few days before Christmas, is particularly shocking."

Transit Board Chairman William Reed sent a wire to the union president, Abe Spraddling in Detroit "demanding" that he come to Cleveland "immediately" to help settle the strike. Spraddling said he had not yet received the wire.

Western Union Opposes Raise

That sturdy symbol of the Horatio Alger success formula, the Western Union messenger boy, may be on his way out as a result of the 75-cents-an-hour minimum wage law.

Such, at least, is the contention of the Western Union Telegraph Co., which yesterday pleaded for permission to maintain a 65-cents-an-hour pay floor for its foot and bike messengers.

Appearing before a hearing of the Labor Department's wage-hour division, representatives of Western Union argued that the 65-cent rate had been established by collective bargaining; that the extra 10 cents would cost the company more than a million dollars additional a year; that such a rise in costs would cause the company to make major changes in its operations which would reduce the number of messengers in its employ.

Legal counsel for the CIO, the CIO Communication Workers, the AFL Commercial Telegraphers Union, and the National Child Labor Committee opposed the company's petition. They argued that the company was financially able to carry the extra cost, and charged the Western Union already has been planning to change its operations and cut down its personnel, but because of mechanization rather than because of increased personnel costs.

Honeymooners, Aloha . . .

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

GABLES OFF FOR ISLANDS—Newly wedded Clark Gable and the former Lady Ashley leave his ranch yesterday at Encino, Calif. They are en route to San Francisco to board a liner for the Hawaiian Islands, where they will honeymoon. The bride is the widow of Douglas Fairbanks, sr.

Truman Repeats Coal Stand

President Truman, who has said it several times before, yesterday declared he would take whatever action was required should an emergency situation arise as a result of the coal industry management-labor dispute.

Mr. Truman's reaffirmation of his stand was in response to a question directed to him at his White House press conference. His rather noncommittal comment came at a time when coal management has been loudly urging Federal intervention via the Taft-Hartley Act.

Spokesmen for the major coal producers have been contending that the three-day work week imposed by John L. Lewis and his United Mine Workers on mines refusing to agree to an "improved" contract for the miners has already created a national coal shortage of an emergency nature.

The President refused to say whether he felt that the three-day work week might be creating an emergency situation.

NLRB Rules Farm Group Not a Union According to T-H Act

NLRB—*From Page 1*

AFL Wine Workers and Local 848 of the AFL Teamsters guilty of having engaged in strikes to compel other employers to cease doing business with Di Giorgio. The two unions were ordered to cease this illegal activity.

The unions involved in the case have been enjoined by court action from engaging in the alleged unfair labor practices since July, 1948. The injunction was requested by Denham under the provision of the Taft-Hartley Act which requires him to seek an injunction when he issues a complaint on a secondary boycott charge.

The board yesterday also found the AFL International Typographical Union and its Baltimore local guilty of having engaged in unfair practices in negotiations with the Baltimore job printers. At the same time, the board dismissed charges that the union had similarly violated Taft-Hartley in its negotiations with and strike against the Nassau-Review Star, a newspaper published in Long Island City, N. Y.

Last October the board found that the ITU had violated the law in its dealings with newspapers associated with the American Newspaper Publishers Association and with the newspaper publishers of Chicago by insisting upon closed shop conditions.

In the Long Island newspaper case, the board majority reversed a finding of a trial examiner that the ITU and its local had refused to bargain in good faith and had insisted upon a closed shop.

In the Baltimore decision, the panel held that the ITU and its local there had insisted upon closed shop conditions, thereby violating the Taft-Hartley Act. The decision was similar to that in the ANPA and Chicago newspaper cases.

The board is presently trying to enforce its month-old ANPA decision in the U. S. Court of Appeal on complaint of the publishers that the union is still insisting on closed shop hiring in negotiations with the newspapers.

Prince Charles Better

London, Dec. 22 (U.P.).—The Royal Ramily left London today for Christmas at Sandringham Palace, indicating Prince Charles had recovered fully from an attack of tonsilitis.

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High GI Tuitions Ruled Legal by VA

Hearings End

Report on Aid To Poor Areas Is Due Jan. 3

A program to help underdeveloped areas of the United States will be recommended to Congress when it reconvenes January 3, Chairman John J. Sparkman (D., Ala.) of the Senate Economic Subcommittee said yesterday.

His announcement came at the end of hearings into the problems of low-income families. Many suggestions for aiding low-income families were advanced during the hearings. The one remedy all voices aparently united to urge was reduction of taxes in the small income brackets.

Sparkman said he himself thinks the Government should do something to help develop new industries and otherwise stimulate the economy of "backward areas," especially farm sections.

"In many instances," he said, "natural resources could very well be used in the development of new industries." He added that new industries would in turn stimulate the economy by providing new capital and jobs for the unemployed.

In its final day the committee heard pleas for more and bigger social welfare programs from representatives of labor, parents and church groups.

George D. Riley, AFL legislative representative, said social security, unemployment insurance and educational facilities should be increased. In particular, he urged a hike in jobless pay to 60 percent of a worker's salary for a 26-week period.

Mrs. Jack B. Fahy, executive director of the American Parents Committee, asked Congress to provide physical, dental and mental checkups for all school children, followed by treatment when necessary.

"Three quarters of the Nation's children need dental care," she said. "One third need medical care. Ten million have poor vision. One million have hearing defects."

Beverly Mumford Boyd of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America said social and economic conditions can create moral and spiritual problems which make it difficult to live "a good life."

The Veterans Administration ruled yesterday it has a right to pay higher college tuition rates for ex-GIs than the colleges are legally permitted to charge.

The decision means millions of dollars for State and city operated schools, which may be barred by State law from charging tuition fees or are limited in the amount that can be charged.

The General Accounting Office, "watchdog" on Government spending, had challenged some VA tuition payments to those schools. In one test case involving the University of Wisconsin an estimated 7 million to 8 million dollars in payments was at stake.

[The United Press reported that VA officials said "more than a hundred" other State and municipal colleges were in an identical situation, and that the total sum involved probably would have been well above 100 million dollars if the GAO objections had been accepted by Veterans Administrator Gray.—Editor's note.]

The VA attributed the accounting office's action to a "misunderstanding" of VA regulations concerning the tuition payments.

VA has been playing the higher tuition fees to some schools because of the heavy cost of teaching great numbers of veterans. The GI Bill of Rights also requires the Veterans Administration to pay tuition whether or not the school is legally permitted to charge it, VA said.

Primarily, VA said, the ruling by Gray holds the VA has the right to pay so-called "nonresident" tuition rates for GI students even though the veterans are residents of the State in which they are going to school.

That right has been challenged by Comptroller General Lindsay Warren, head of the General Accounting Office, in the University of Wisconsin case.

Gray's decision, VA said, settles the matter because he is charged under the GI training bill with determining what tuition shall be paid.

The ruling was split into two parts. VA said he held in effect that:

1. Colleges or universities that have no tuition fees or are barred by State law from charging tuition or otherwise restricted in the amounts that can be charged are not precluded from applying for "a fair and reasonable" rate of tuition for veterans attending school. Nor are they prevented from receiving payments set by the administrator as "fair and reasonable."

2. That the State laws on tuition rates "have no bearing whatsoever on the authority of" the Veterans Administrator to determine and pay "adjusted" tuition fees. Futhermore, VA regulations for this purpose "do not require that such State laws shall be taken into consideration" in contracting with the schools for instruction of veterans.

(A spokesman for the VA regional office here said only Maryland University is affected in this area by the ruling. Maryland University, he said, has been getting nonresident tuition rates "so the effect is merely to affirm what has been the regional office policy.")

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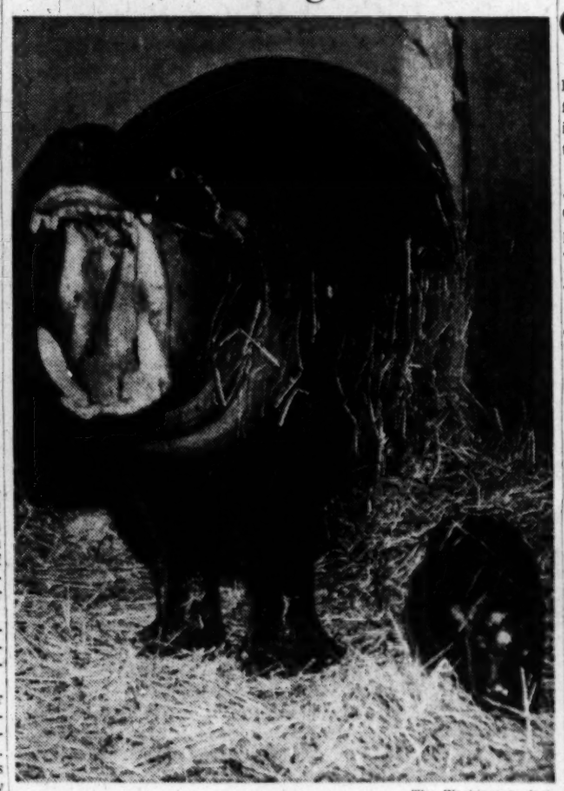

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MRS. HIPPO'S EIGHTH—Mrs. Matilda Pygmy Hippo titters happily as she poses with her newborn—Gumdrop VIII. Mother, the eight-pound youngster and Mr. Bill Johnson Pygmy Hippo are all doing nicely, thank you very much

'Kickback' Demands Common On Hill, Says Ex-Rep. Dorn

Columbia, S. C., Dec. 21 (AP).—Demands for salary "kickbacks" from office employes is common in Congress, a man who has been there declared tonight.

Former United States Representative Jennings Bryan Dorn of Greenwood said the practice "is prevalent in Congress among those very ones who pushed the conviction of Representative J. Parnell Thomas" of New Jersey.

"I know specifically one member of Congress who has always backed President Truman's civil rights program and who has made his secretaries 'kick back,'" Dorn told a reporter in an interview, "but he has never been investigated or convicted."

"I will back up these charges in Washington if Congress wants me to," he asserted.

Dorn said he thought Thomas' conviction was "justified in itself." However, he added, Congress "should get down to the bottom of it all and do some more convicting if they want justice.

Dorn gave up his House seat to seek Democratic nomination to the United States Senate last year. He was defeated by United States Senator Burnet R. Maybank.

Gen. Booth Optimistic

Hartsdale, N. Y., Dec. 22 (AP).—Gen. Evangeline Cory Booth, retired international commander of the Salvation Army, said today as she neared her eighty-fourth birthday that the world's not such a bad place after all despite the fact she has been ill and confined to bed.

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The National Aeronautic Association announced yesterday that President Truman will present the trophy at the White House on January 10.

"The most practical and dramatic demonstration of the fruits of the efforts of the RTCA," the NAA said, "was the operation of the Berlin air lift during the last year. The British and American airmen in this operation taught the whole world the importance of air traffic control and true all-weather flying."

RTCA is an organization through which all aviation groups, Government or private, interested in aeronautical communications coordinate their efforts. It is jointly supported by eight Government agencies and five private groups composing its executive committee.

The executive committee includes representatives of the State, Army, Navy, Air Force, Commerce and Treasury Departments, Civil Aeronautics Board, Federal Communications Commission, Aeronautical Radio, Inc., Air Transport Association, Radio Manufacturers Association, Air Line Pilots Association and Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association.

A major achievement of RTCA has been development of a long-time program for an all weather airways system. The program will require 15 years to complete and cost more than one billion dollars.

Some of the planning in this program was used to maintain the Berlin airlift schedules despite bad weather. Some of it already in use is credited with improving airline schedule dependability in the past year.

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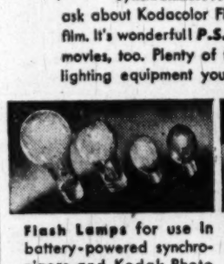

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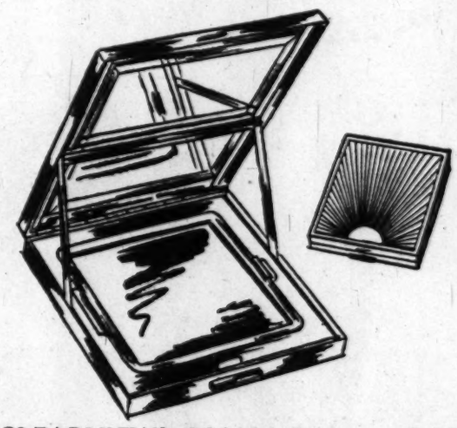

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Coplon Wiretapping Outlined at Hearing

New York, Dec. 22 (AP).—An FBI agent testified at a pretrial hearing today that he took it upon himself to destroy records of certain wire-tapped telephone talks by Judith Coplon.

But, from memory, Agent T. Scott Miller, jr., recalled that until last March 4 they dealt with such womanly small-talk as babies, schooldays, health and business.

Then, he said, there was a long silence before the FBI heard Miss Coplon's voice again about March 10. This time she was concerned about getting a lawyer. She had just gotten out of jail on bond.

The dark-haired former Government girl was arrested in New York March 4 with Soviet engineer Valentin A. Gubitchev. Both are awaiting trial on charges of conspiring to transmit Government secrets to Russia.

The wire-tap data came out before Federal Judge Sylvester J. Ryan as Miss Coplon's lawyer, Archibald Palmer, continued his fight to block the trial.

Judge Ryan has said he may throw the case out of court if Palmer can prove it is based entirely on evidence obtained by wire tapping. Such evidence is illegal.

The Government admits tapping the wires of both defendants. But it says this eavesdropping was only incidental and that there is plenty of other evidence against the couple.

Miller testified that he looked over transcripts of wire-tapped conversations by Miss Coplon and decided which ones were to be destroyed. He added that he did not consult his superiors.

Palmer is trying to get complete records of all the wire-taps before the court to bolster his appeal to quash the case.

Palmer told the judge earlier that 81 FBI agents were involved in the investigation of Miss Coplon. He said he might call any or all of them in his effort to prove that the Government's case is invalid.

In Washington, standing trial alone, Miss Coplon was convicted of stealing Government papers to aid the Russians, and sentenced to 40 months to 10 years in prison. She is free on bail while her appeal is being heard.

Judge Ryan adjourned the hearing until next Tuesday.

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Japan 'Not Bound' By Yalta Pact

Tokyo, Dec. 22 (U.P.).—Matsusuke Kawamura, Vice Foreign Minister, said in Parliament today Japan does not consider itself bound by the Yalta Agreement awarding the Kurile Islands and the southern half of Sakhalin Island to Russia.

He said also that Japan intended to lay eventual claim to Okinawa, now occupied by the United States, and other islands near the main Japanese group.

On the Town

By Georganne Williamson

THE Old New Orleans has been regaled with celebrities lately. Recently King Peter of Yugoslavia dropped in to have dinner with his fellow countryman Mirko, guitarist now appearing there. Owner Nick Gaston practically fell down the stairs, he was so excited, and it was King Peter's first visit to a Washington night club—which seemed to give it added import.

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Next Tuesday, Dwight Fiske opens the third floor Latin Quarter at the Old New Orleans. It will be a real opening night, with huge kleig lights illuminating the building and many parties before.

The Latin Quarter, which hasn't been used since the war, is newly redecorated and encouragingly roomy.

TWO OFFERINGS to delight jazz fans are in town now. Eddie Heywood at the Merryland and Louis Armstrong, just returned from his European tour, who opened at the Blue Mirror last night. Armstrong was at the Blue Mirror just before going to Europe, and packed in the crowds. But Europeans were even more enthusiastic—in Stockholm, 40,000 fans greeted him at the airport; in Helsinki, 7500 devotees crowded the hall. In Rome, the teen-age Italian hep-cats, with their "Roman New Orleans Band," gave him the biggest welcome of all.

Armstrong is holding forth with his All Stars—Jack Teagarden, Earl (Father) Hines, Cozy Cole, Barney Bigard, Arvell Show and Velma Middleton—until January 3.

THE other delight for music lovers is Eddie Haywood, at the piano in the Merryland Club. He's a natural artist. He plays original piano jazz that can't be beat short of Art Tatum, while flashing a shy smile around the room and always biting his lower lip.

His virtuosity is ample, but the personality is in his left hand maneuvers. As in his famous version of "Begin the Beguine," there's often a counter melody or new rhythm in the base that makes a tired old melody turn into something special.

Completing the lineup, Count Smith is a young and unknown pianist and singer who often captures the crowd with a peck of showmanship and high spirits. He's high powered and humorous.

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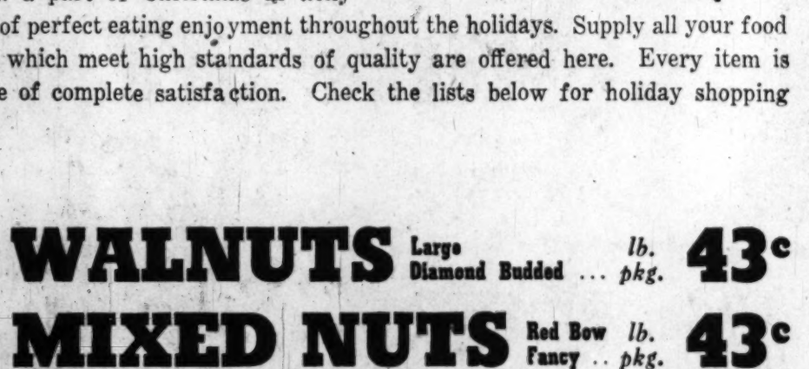
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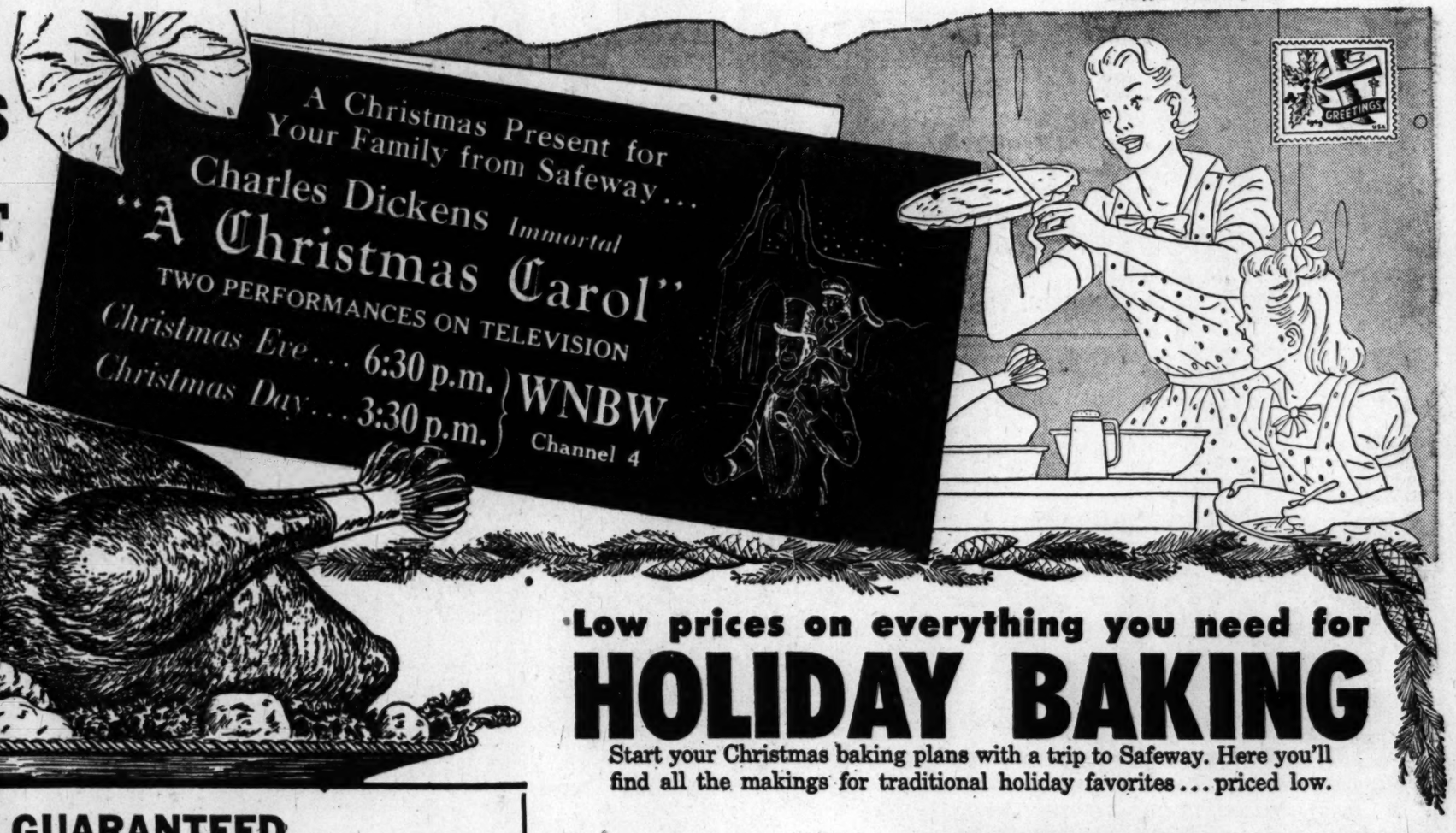

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Sausage Meat	Smithfield	lb.	39c
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Rock Creek Mixer	2	24 oz. bots.	21c
Ginger Ale Cliquot Club	2	32 oz. bots.	27c
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RED BOW Mixed Nuts lb. 43c

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PICKLES ON PARADE SWEET MIXED qt. jar 29c
OLIVES SPANISH STUFFED 2 oz. jars 35c
OLIVES GLICK'S JUMBO RIPE 10 oz. jar 39c

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PILLSBURY'S SNO-SHEEN CAKE FLOUR pkg. 37c

OLD VIRGINIA RUM FLAVORED MINCE MEAT jar 33c

Reds Knew A-Bomb Data in '40, AEC Says

To Enemy

Radar 'Spies' Will Guide Missiles

By the United Press

Military scientists disclosed yesterday that pilotless missiles may be guided to their targets in future wars by radar "spies" planted in enemy cities.

New ways for atomic and other guided missiles to seek their targets with and without human intervention, were revealed in a "glossary of guided missile terms" prepared by the Defense Research and Development Board.

The missiles could be equipped with what the scientists call "semi-active homing guidance." This means, according to the definition, that a radar receiver in the missile "utilizes radiations" from outside itself.

A Defense Department spokesman said this means the missile is guided by a radar beam coming from the target. This could be a reflection from the target of a beam transmitted from an airplane or a ground station in the vicinity.

But the "most desirable" method, the spokesman said, would be to have a radar transmitter within the target city to send out a homing beam for the missile to ride in on.

Other methods of guiding missiles include:

"Command guidance" — where the course of the weapon is directed from an outside source, such as a ground station or an airplane.

"Homing guidance" — where the missile steers itself by means of a self-contained mechanism activated by "some distinguishing characteristics" of the target.

"Active homing guidance" — where the missile carries both a radar transmitter and receiver.

"Passive homing guidance" — where the missile is guided to the target by light or heat coming from the target.

The Atomic Energy Commission has documentary proof that Russia had mastered basic theoretical scientific "secrets" of the A-bomb in 1940.

That was the year this country made its first tentative moves toward tapping atomic energy for war. Both countries were then at peace.

The United States completed its first atomic bomb in 1945. So far as this country knows, the Russians did not achieve the bomb until four years later.

At the request of the United Press, the AEC permitted a UP reporter to read translations of Russian scientific documents published in 1940. Although American scientific circles were familiar with them, the papers had not been released to the press.

They show that more than nine years ago the Russians:

1. Knew theoretically how to make uranium 235 explode by suddenly assembling it in "supercritical" amounts;

2. Were acquainted with the theory of the chain-reacting uranium pile and the use of heavy water to slow neutrons to their most effective atom-splitting speeds;

3. Realized the enormous peacetime implications of uranium atom-splitting;

4. Were well aw re that "many attempts" to harness atomic energy "will be undertaken in the near future."

5. Understood the problems involved in separating U-235 from the more pentiful but non-explosive U-238 with which it is mixed in nature.

Score of Libraries Have Data

More than a score of U. S. libraries, including the Library of Congress, possess untranslated copies of the Russian documents.

The translations now in the AEC's possession were made for the Army's Manhattan District, which ran this country's wartime A-bomb project.

Although the Russians had published them openly, the Manhattan District stamped the translations "secret" to conceal the fact that they were collecting such evidence of Soviet atomic progress.

The "secret" label was removed by the Atomic Energy Commission some time ago.

The documents include "materials of the conference on the physics of atomic nuclei of the division of physical and mathematical sciences of the Academy of Sciences of the USSR, Moscow, November 26, 1940."

One 1940 paper, by J. B. Zeldovich and J. B. Kharton, discussed possible methods of exploding U-235 and of controlling its energy for peacetime uses. After noting that uranium fission releases millions of times more energy than burning coal, it added:

"The amount of uranium available in nature, and the cost of its production, could make the use of uranium as a 'fuel' for certain practical applications possible.

"Despite all the difficulties and uncertainties of such an experiment, one can expect that many attempts to carry it out will be undertaken in the near future."

The documents read like parts of the Smyth report on the United States Atomic Project, published by the Army in 1945. The Soviet scientists, in addition to discussing their own research, detailed the findings of western scientists like Meitner, Frisch, Bohr, Wheeler, Fermi, Zinn, and Szilard, all of whom contributed importantly to the United States project.

Although Russians discussed U-235 separation, they apparently had not yet tumbled to the possibility of transmuting non-explosive U-238 into fissionable plutonium.

Not Far From It

But they could not have been far from doing so. They knew that capture of neutrons by U-238 "leads to the formation of a radioactive transurianium element." That is just what happens when plutonium is made.

They knew about "delayed neutrnos," which is what makes control of an atomic pile relatively simple.

They were working on the idea of a "nuclear chain reaction in a mass of pure fissionable element under the action of fast neutrons" —which is another way of saying "atomic bomb."

Instead of using graphite as a "moderator" to slow neutrons to effective speeds in a uranium pile, as this country ultimately did, the Russians figured that heavy water would do the trick.

They estimated it would take about 15 tons of heavy water, first discovered by United States scientist Harold C. Urey, to make a uranium "system" work.

ATOMIC—*From Page 1*

Truman Keeps Lilienthal On

consideration. For once, Washington is without even "informed speculation" as to the future AEC chairman.

Meantime, it was learned yesterday that the AEC is about to name John S. Bugas, former FBI official who is now vice president of the Ford Motor Co., to head a special group in an appraisal of AEC security procedures.

Bugas and four or five others who have yet to be selected will form a special consultative committee to study AEC security operations, administration and procedure.

The job is expected to take a month or two. It will probably not extend to a study of the basic legislation under which the AEC's security program operates. Rather, it appears to be narrowly confined to an examination of the commission's physical and administrative setup.

It was indicated that the AEC believed it would be useful, after three years of operation, to have an outside group make an independent examination and make recommendations for improvement.

Bugas was formerly head of the FBI's Detroit office. He became an assistant to Harry Bennett, Ford's industrial relations director, in January, 1944.

Henry Ford 2d, cleaned out the "Bennett crowd," named Bugas vice-president and replacement for Bennett as labor relations chief of his company, in April, 1946.

Bugas and his colleagues on the committee will not give up their private employment, but will serve only temporarily, as AEC consultants, for the special job.

YUGO—*From Page 1*

U. S. Opposes Move on Tito

direct Soviet attack on Yugoslavia this winter, in spite of the mounting fury of the Kremlin's propaganda attacks on the Tito regime.

They do, however, look for intensified Soviet pressure in the form of attempted subversion within Yugoslavia, possible plots to assassinate Tito; and possibly, too, guerilla warfare from the Hungarian and Bulgarian borders.

Washington also regards this winter as Tito's time of greatest danger for economic reasons. The quarrel with Moscow has cut Yugoslavia off from the other Communist states which used to be her most important sources of raw materials, machinery and consumer goods.

Now Yugoslavia is in process of switching her entire economy toward the West. She can sell her products to the West without trouble, and, in time, get western substitutes for what she used to get from eastern Europe.

But the Yugoslavs have not had time to make the switch, and their economy will be shaky until the late spring at the earliest. This is one reason why the United States has given Tito open encouragement in recent weeks, and why the American delegation at the United Nations has supported Yugoslavia's successful bid for a seat on the Security Council.

It may explain, too, why Ambassador. Allen made an advance announcement yesterday of the assurances he would give Tito in Belgrade.

American policy has been to widen the breach between Tito and the Kremlin without, however, embarrassing Tito by too much fervor. For it is remembered here that Yugoslavia is a Communist country, and that too much enthusiasm from the Western powers would hurt Tito in the eyes of his Communist supporters.

Last month the State Department ridiculed a report from Rome that Yugoslavia had been invited to sign the North Atlantic Pact. There has been no such invitation, and if there were it would play straight into the hands of Tito's enemies.

The Kremlin is already picturing Tito as a puppet of "western imperialism," and is flooding the Balkans and Yugooslavia itself with propaganda of this sort.

In case of outright Soviet aggression, Yugoslavia could instantly appeal for world support as a member of the United Nations with a seat on the Security Council. Although a Soviet veto could block or delay action, the United States is committed to all the antiaggression machinery provided by the Charter — starting with attempts at conciliation, then economic sanctions, and ultimately the use of force.

American commitments under the North Atlantic Pact are more immediate and almost automatic. The 12 countries that signed the treaty—are solemnly pledged to regard an attack on one as an attack on all, and to resist such an attack together without waiting for the United Nations to act.

U. S. Gives Her Yule Present

Associated Press WIREPHOTO
VALENTINA GARDNER, 28-year-old Russian war bride of Henry F. Gardner, a former GI of Buffalo, N. Y., who has been in immigration detention in San Francisco for 13 months, will be permitted a Christmas Day visit by her husband and a couple of girl friends. Her attorney is seeking her parole pending straightening out of a complicated legal tangle

Rome Bans 'Anti-Catholic' Rally of Reds

Rome, Dec. 22 (AP).—Rome police today banned Communist plans for a rally in the Collosseum at the same time Pope Pius XII inaugurates the Roman Catholic Holy Year at St. Peter's Basilica Saturday.

The rally was advertised as a demonstration of peasants seeking revision of land laws. The Catholic press has attacked it as a counter-Holy Year demonstration.

The Communist-line newspaper, Il Paese, sarcastically said the ban was ordered by the Christian Democratic government "less a pitiful spectacle of peasants starving for land and work mar the luminous inauguration day with a sad and sorrowful note."

Italian workers today presented the Pope a silver hammer and trowel, decorated with gold, for use in Holy Year ceremonies at the Basilica.

The Pope will use the implements to open and close the holy door of the Basilica, the world's biggest church.

The gift was handed over in the Pope's Vatican apartment by a delegation representing workers in the 4 million-member Catholic Action, a lay organization.

(Vatican sources said tonight, the United Press reported, that Pope Pius will make a speech of "extreme importance" Friday—a strong attack against communism's mounting offensive against the Catholic Church.

(The speech is considered so important as a declaration of policy that Vatican Radio will devote three days to its rebroadcast in 23 languages. Fourteen broadcasts are to be beamed to countries behind the Iron Curtain, including Russia.

(His speech, his annual Christmas message to the world's 375 million Catholics, will be broadcast on the eve of the opening of the 1950 Holy Year. The speech, to begin at 5 a. m. (EST), will be a traditional review of the past year's events.)

Danes Put on Royal Show For U. S. Envoy

Copenhagen, Dec. 22 (U.P.).—Mrs. Eugenie Anderson, a Red Wing, Minn., housewife who became the first woman ambassador in United States history, today presented her credentials to King Frederik IX of Denmark in a ceremony reviving Denmark's ancient pomp and ceremony.

Mrs. Anderson rode to Christianborg Castle in a carriage drawn by four horses—the first time in modern Danish history the ancient tradition of riding to the ceremony in a coach-and-four had been revived.

Her husband remained home, getting things ready for Christmas, but their two children, Johanna, 15, and Hans, 11, watched the carriage drive through the inner gates of the castle.

Mrs. Anderson was accompanied by the King's Chamberlain—clad in full dress—red coat with swallow tails and decorations in silver, gold and blue, and a three-cornered hat and sword.

Mrs. Anerson wore a beautiful long brown velvet dress with a small jacket of the same material, buttoned with four golden buttons.

King Frederik left the castle a few minutes after the brief ceremony to drive back to Amalienborg, the royal residence. Christiansborg is used only for state purposes. The King and Queen received Mr. and Mrs. Anderson later today at a private audience.

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McCloy Sees No Nazi Revival In Store for German Nation

Frankfurst, Dec. 22 (NYHT). John J. McCloy, reviewing the year's accomplishments in Germany, expressed the conviction today that Nazism never again will arise but said that he hoped the coming year would show "more emphasis on the individual and less on the state."

"If I felt that the German people were again capable, after the ghastly experiences through which they have been led, of such debasement as a revival of National Socialism, I would not be here," the United States High Commissioner told a press conference. "I would not participate in aid to Germany if I considered such an aberation possible."

He listed accomplishments of the high commission as the creation of the German government, the partnership of West Germany in the ECA, the encouragement of German participation in world organizations, the solution of the dismantling question, and the solidifying of the effects of currency reform.

Dealing with criticism of the education and reorientation program, McCloy said that "no nation can reorient another, but other nations can present an example and an opportunity for expanding thinking." It is up to the Germans, he said, to carry out what has already begun.

Of nationalism or neo-nazism, McCloy admitted that there were incidents which were disturbing, and that a succession of incidents "would need action" but he said he "felt most hopeful" of a liberal spirit among the German people.

As for specific problems, McCloy reiterated the Allied intention to carry out decartelization of I. G. Farben, saying that there were no insuperable legal difficulties but that an enormous amount of work was involved in preparing plans.

Reds Block Tito's Bid for Reparations

Belgrade, Dec. 22 (NYHT). — Russia is blocking Marshal Tito's latest effort to collect war reparations of 70 million dollars from Hungary, a Yugoslav government representative said today.

Yugoslavia is accordingly taking a step under the peace treaty with Hungary which may lead to United Nations intervention in the dispute, it was indicated by Vladimir Dedijer, head of Tito's information office, at a press conference.

Under the treaty, he said, Yugoslavia has decided to call upon the Hungarian Communist regime to appoint a representative to sit on a three-man commission to settle the issue.

This demand follows Yugoslav invocation of aid from the American, British and Soviet diplomatic missions in Budapest late in September to help collect the debt.

The request for Big Three intervention after direct Hungarian-Yugoslav negotiations broke down, has failed "owing to the Soviet attitude," Dedijer said.

Yugoslavia is proceeding under the treaty, Dedijer said, and will take the "further steps" it provides for if agreement on the commission is not reached by January 15. He did not make clear, however, what Yougoslavia intends to do if the Hungarians, as is possible, fail even to designate a representative of their own to the commission.

If the U. N. is called upon, it is believed this will be the first case of direct U. N. intervention in the settlement of a reparations claim arising out of World War II.

Shun Recognition, China Asks British

London, Dec. 22 (AP).—Nationalist China has asked Britain not to prejudge its case before the United Nations by recognizing Communist China.

A Foreign Office source said a formal note containing this appeal has been delivered by an official of the Chinese Embassy in London. It was understood that similar messages are being sent to "friendly" governments elsewhere at the instructions of Chinese Foreign Minister George Yeh.

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FANCY BRAZIL NUTS	EXTRA LARGE	lb.	39¢
BLUE DIAMOND ALMONDS	PAPER SHELL	lb.	39¢
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FLAKO PIE CRUST	8 oz. pkg.	16¢
BAKERS COCONUT	4 oz. can	17¢
NESTLES MORSELS	6 oz. pkg.	19¢
4X OR BROWN SUGAR	2 lb. pkgs.	25¢
FRANKLIN GRAN. SUGAR	5 lb. bag	47¢
BAKERS CHOCOLATE	8 oz. pkg.	39¢
SHELLED WALNUTS	DIAMOND can	33¢
SWANSDOWN CAKE FLOUR	pkg.	39¢
CRISCO OR SPRY	3 lb. can	83¢
Hippolite Marshmallow Creme	pt. jar	25¢

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Vote of Confidence Sought by Bidault

Paris, Dec. 22 (NYHT)—Premier Georges Bidault, who is fighting for approval by the National Assembly of a balanced budget, tonight asked for a vote of confidence in his government.

The vote will be taken shortly after midnight Friday, and if an absolute majority of the deputies vote against the government, it will be required to resign.

Bidault made it clear that unless the Assembly is prepared to accept the main lines of the government's budget, it should vote "no."

The Assembly's finance committee has presented a budget of its own, which would cut proposed government expenditures and eliminate new taxes asked by Finance Minister Maurice Petsche. The committee's budget shows a deficit, and the government is afraid that an unbalanced budget would make France ineligible for further Marshall aid.

In asking for a vote of confidence, Bidault is using one of his strongest weapons. Should two governments be defeated on such a vote within 18 months, President Vincent Auriol could dissolve the Assembly and call for new elections. Thus, if they overthrow Bidault, the deputies will at the same time be taking the first step toward ending their own terms.

The confidence motion was asked on the issue of immediate consideration of the government's 2,275,000,000 franc budget, as modified by a letter in which Petsche agreed to economies of 47 billion francs. The finance committee has asked for 100 billion francs in economies.

CARUSI—From Page 1

Carusi Denies DP Charges

United States his records are checked by the FBI, British, French and sometime Italian intelligence agencies, he explained.

"We certainly have no intention of slipping any fast ones over," said Carusi, "and if we have been unduly careless I should think we would have heard about it.

"Thus far official notice of subversive activity among the new Americans has been practically nil," Carusi added, but warned that "you can't expect perfection when you're dealing with 200,000 strangers."

Many other countries, he said, are having similar experience. As of a few months ago Australia's DP program had not turned up one "bad case" out of 60,000 immigrants admitted, he said.

McCarran had declared that his on-the-spot investigations disclosed "innumerable instances of fraudulent misrepresentation, fictitious documents and perjury for the purpose of qualifying for admission as a displaced person.

On this point, the DP official admitted that several hundred such cases have turned up. "They are a great annoyance, but the important thing," he said, "is that we are catching these misrepresentations before they land here."

Records show that more than 30 percent of eligible DP's have been barred for various reasons. Of those rejections, he estimated less than 5 percent were on grounds of past criminal records or security questionability.

Carusi feels optimistic about the general European resettlement problem. He summed it up this way:

"If we bring in our entire authorized 200,000 and the other countries contiue their present programs, there will be between 150,000 and 200,000 fine, useful people left to be resettled after next June 30 when our act expires."

In addition, he said International Refugee Organization officials are talking in terms of a "hard core" of about 50,000. This element, some even World War I refugees, are those either aged, in poor health or otherwise unqualified or undesirable for resettlement in the various IRO countries.

The 121,963 DP's settled here or en route to this country represent 20 percent of the total World War II DP's who have been resettled.

When Congress convenes Carusi will again urge Senate approval of the House-passed Celler bill, now pigeon-holed by McCarran's Senate Judiciary Subcommittee.

The measure would increase the number of refugees admissible under the program from 205,000 over a two-year period (ending next June 30) to 339,000 over a three-year period and it will eliminate provisions which allegedly discriminate against Catholics and Jews.

He quickly pointed out that his commission has on file requests from all over the country for 380,000 more displaced persons.

"I think the program is working," he said.

Virginia DPs Disappointing, Official Says

Richmond, Va., Dec. 22 (AP).—Some displaced persons are proving "disappointing" in Virginia, the State committee said today. L. M. Walker, chairman, put the figure at about one third.

"The program is not working out as it was represented by national DP authorities," he said.

A considerable percentage of the DP's are disregarding agreements to remain with the sponsor for a year, and are leaving for cities in the North after from one to three months, Walker said. A few others, he added, are not willing to work saying frankly that they had an easier time in the DP camps abroad.

The committee has brought 100 families into Virginia, including 16 families who arrived last weekend. According to M. B. Rowe, secretary of the Virginia State Displaced Persons Committee.

Thus far, 17 of the workers have left the farmers for whom they were supposed to work a year, Rowe said. Some only gave a day's notice.

Two thirds of those arriving are good workers, he said. But sponsors are beginning to feel that they cannot tell just when these will decide to pick up and leave also.

The two officers of the State committee expressed the opinion that "poor screening" of DP's sent to this country from Europe, and insufficient instructions as to their obligations here is responsible for the situation.

Under the present DP Act, a 30-percent preference is placed on agricultural workers. This, they said, is leading many persons from the cities to represent themselves as farmers.

Israel Takes New Steps to Move Capital

Tel Aviv, Israel, Dec. 22 (U.P.).—The Israel government will instruct its delegate to confine himself to an observer's role when the United Nations Trusteeship Council meets in Geneva January 19 to consider internationalization of Jerusalem, the Foreign Office said today.

Maintaining its determination to make Jerusalem the capital despite all opposition, the government will not even send a ranking representative to the Geneva meeting.

Reliable sources said that the cabinet had voted an appropriation of two million pounds ($5,600,000) for the construction of a capital—"Hakirya"—in Jerusalem.

It was said also that the government has started to reserve for its personnel many Jerusalem hotel rooms previously earmarked for pilgrims expected from abroad during the 1950 Roman Catholic Holy Year.

Foreign Secretary Moshe Sharett is due to arrive Friday after attending the U. N. meetings in New York. Soon after his return the cabinet will draft a reply to the Trusteeship Council's condemnation of its decision to make Jerusalem the capital.

Plaque Presented To President

Associated Press Photo
Gift by DP agencies

Top of the Morning

Dublin, Dec. 22 (U.P.).—A California State resolution of greeting and good wishes to Eire was presented to Prime Minister John A. Costello today by American Minister George A. Garrett.

Church DP Agencies Present Truman a Plaque of Himself

Leaders of Protestant, Catholic and Jewish D. P. agencies yesterday presented President Truman a plaque of himself for his acts on behalf of Europe's displaced persons.

The plaque, the work of Eugene Kormendi, professor of sculpture at Notre Dame University, was presented on the fourth anniversary of the President's directive permitting European war refugees to enter this country under established quotas.

Edward Rosenberg, president of United Service for New Americans, told Mr. Truman the plaque was "symbolic of the admiration which your humanitarian approach to one of the world's most pressing problems has evoked among freedom-loving peoples everywhere."

Kormendl, who came to this country from Hungary in 1939 and is now an American citizen, accompanied the delegation to the White House. The group included the Rev. Thomas Dade, diocesan director for the National Catholic Welfare Conference in the Washington Archdiocese, and Fred W. Ramsey, executive vice president of Church World Service.

Rosenberg said 41,379 men, women and children came to this country under the President's directive. An additional 116,581 have been admitted under the Displaced Persons Act of 1948 which followed the directive.

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				CHOCOLATE FUDGE GOLDEN Layer Cakes	each 49c
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Tokyo Mob Besieges Russian Embassy

Tokyo, Dec. 22 (AP).—Two hundred sad-eyed Japanese drifted away from their bonfires at the gates of the Soviet Embassy tonight without finding out what had happened to relatives captured by the Russians during the war.

They were thwarted by armed Russian guards in one attempt to shove through the gates.

The crowd sat down in front of the embassy this afternoon. They said they would stay "until we find out what happened to our husbands, our sons, our brothers and our fathers."

Early in the evening, eight Japanese were allowed into the embassy. They came out after 30 minutes and said they had been told to come back December 28.

The bedraggled group sat in front of the embassy for another two hours, but their bonfires didn't help much to stave off the bitter cold.

By 9:45 p. m. all had drifted away.

The demonstration came after General MacArthur—in one of his strongest attacks against the Russians—denounced Soviet "callousness" in failing to account for about 376,000 prisoners listed as missing since they surrendered to the Russians in 1945.

MacArthur asked for an investigation by a neutral country or the International Red Cross. The Russians contend that during the past four years they have repatriated all except 10,000 prisoners whom they class as "war criminals."

The Japanese said their purpose was to find out how many prisoners in Russia had died and what caused their deaths; how many Japanese are left in Russia, and how many Japanese are being held as war criminals and what the charges are.

Once an embassy car went through the gates and the crowd tried to push through. They were held back by Russian soldiers armed with automatic rifles.

The crowd went to the embassy at 2 p. m. to keep what leaders said was an appointment made last week with Soviet officials who had promised to answer their questions on repatriation.

An embassy interpreter came out.

"I can tell you nothing about your problem," he said. "Nobody can say anything about the question today."

Germans Claim Reds Hold Million POWs

Berlin, Dec. 22 (AP).—The West Berlin City Council accused Soviet Russia tonight for holding more than one million German war prisoners she has repeatedly promised to return.

The Western occupation powers may send a strong Allied note to Moscow and other Eastern capitals demanding the release of the prisoners, a spokesman for the British high commission at Bonn said.

A resolution of protest by the council declared that women and children are among captives still in the Soviet Union and living under sub-human conditions.

U. S. Foreign Policy Has Helped Latin American Dictatorships, Report Says

American Foreign Policy has worked to the advantage of Latin-American military dictatorships which, "in the near" future, may be succeeded by Communist regimes, the Foreign Policy Association asserted yesterday.

A report prepared by Olive Holmes, the association's specialist in American Republic affairs, said recent revolutions in Central and South America have been carried out by young army officers anxious "to get to the top."

"Pure opportunists may advise that the army identify itself with popular movements for reform," she said. "Left-wing authoritarianism may well be the alternative posed to righ-wing reaction in the near future.'

The report, entitled "Army Challenge in Latin America," said that anti-democratic and non-democratic governments are progressing toward control of the inter-American system.

"The feeling persists that in practice recent U. S. policy has redounded to the advantage of repressive regimes in Latin America," it said. "Washington's post-war emphasis on security has strengthened the military arm in Latin-American countries in tangible and intangible ways.

"In its relations with Latin America the United States is torn between its inclination to accept the 'man on horseback' as a regretable but inevitable aspect of the scene, and its somewhat proprietary desire to secure adoption of democratic tendencies in its own image."

It said that, contrary to the widely held view in Latin America, the Truman Administration is concerned by the failure of the new military governments in Peru and Venezuela to respect internationally accepted standards of human rights and civil liberties.

The report also represented the Administration as being "disappointed" by the "breakdown of responsible government in Colombia and Panama."

50,000 Troops Guard Border Of Indo-China

Hanoi, French Indo-China, Dec. 22 (AP).—An estimated 50,000 French and Viet Nam troops patroled the northern border of Tonkin Province today, in sight of the Chinese Communists.

French officials said there had been no border incidents so far. Lieut. Gen. Marcel Alessandri, commander in Tonkin, said the conduct of the Chinese Communists had been "completely correct."

He said he did not expect them to pursue the 23,000 Nationalists who fled across the border in the past 10 days. (Communist Premier Chou En-lai warned recently Communist troops would pursue the Nationalists "wherever they flee.")

The French admitted the flood of Nationalist refugees was a critical problem in a nation already upset by civil war, but said prompt action was being taken to feed and house them.

They reported the Nationalists, most of them of Gen. Pai Chung-hsi's defeated South China armies, had marched across the border in orderly fashion, stacked their arms in designated places and moved into internment camps.

2 Fliers Still Held in China, U. S. Hears

Word that two American servicemen who have been missing in China for more than a year are still in the hands of Chinese Communists was received by the State Department yesterday.

The report came from the British proconsul at the North China port of Tsingtao where the two were stationed when they failed to return from a flight over Communist-held territory October 19, 1948.

The State Department said the British have been asked to try to find out whether the men are in good condition and to arrange for their release.

The United States has failed in repeated attempts to get even an acknowledgement of inquiries from Chinese authorities at Peiping.

The missing men are Navy Chief Electrician William C. Smith, Long Beach, Calif., and Marine Master Sergt. Elmer C. Bender, Cincinnati, Ohio.

At the same time the State Department was notified that Brig. Gen. Robert B. Soule, American military attache in China, has now been granted an exit permit to come home after a wait of more than two months. Soule was on duty with the embassy at Nanking.

He received his exit permit December 19 but it was not known here whether he has been able actually to leave.

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Cranberry Sauce 2 16 oz. cans 29c

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PUDDINGS
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cello wrapped
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SWEET APPLE CIDER full gal. 49c

CALIFORNIA DATES ..... 1-lb. box 39c
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ALMONDS BLUE DIAMOND ..... 1-lb. cello. pkg. 45c

MEALY
RED SWEETS
3 lbs. 25c

CRANBERRIES
FIRM, FRESH TART 1-lb. cello. bag 17c

RIPE BANANAS
LUSCIOUS GOLDEN RIPE 2 lbs. 29c

IMPORTED
Fancy Chestnuts
lb. 17c

Streetcar Named Caroler . . .

The Washington Post

SINGING AND ROLLING ALONG—School children from District schools sing Christmas carols last night in the "Caroling Streetcar," which toured downtown Washington streets. Capital Transit and the District of Columbia Recreation Department sponsor the singing streetcar annually at Yuletide

Virginia Report Urges Local Self Help

Richmond, Va., Dec. 22 (AP).—The Commission on State and Local Revenues and Expenditures said today it is "imperative" that the localities in Virginia become more self-supporting.

The commission made its statement in a mammoth report containing 52 recommendations, many of which were designed to foster in the localities a greater degree of financial responsibility for governmental services.

It urged economy in government and said "the situation presently confronting the people of Virginia demands the restriction of expenditures rather than increased taxation."

While there are many other factors which could be isolated and discussed, the commission said, "the two primary forces which have affected State and local fiscal operations most in recent years have been the declining significance of the property tax in financing the local governments and the State's use of many revenue sources which have proved to be highly productive, especially under inflationary conditions.

"The result has been a marked shift from the local governments to the State government in the responsibility for financing governmental services . . ."

The report to the Governor and the General Assembly was signed by all 21 members of the commission, which was created to make the study by the 1948 General Assembly. However, seven members filed statements in which they disagreed with certain recommendations of the report.

A majority of the recommendations deal with improving the revenue system of the localities and with public education. Other sections are on public welfare and assistance and public health. State Senator Garland Gray, chairman, said the commission was "highly pleased" with what it found in a study of the operations of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board and saw no reason for any changes there.

The commission was of the opinion that current sources of State and local revenues—with the changes suggested in the report—fully enforced and efficiently administered, will be sufficient to meet the "immediate and reasonable" demands for State and local services.

It said increases in State taxation ought to be avoided for the "foreseeable future" and declared the Commonwealth should live within the income yields of present tax sources. In this connection, the report contained this warning:

"It is the belief of this commission that any extravagant extension of the present State services requiring greatly enlarged expenditures of State funds will compel the State to seek new sources of revenue.

In the field of State and local fiscal policies, the report suggested these things:

A quadrennial revaluation of real estate in the cities and counties every four years with the aid and supervision of the State department of taxation; transfer to the localities of various tax sources—primarily deeds, wills, suits and contracts—which currently yield about $1,500,000 to the State; abolition of the tax on merchants' capital.

A revision and tightening of State budget practices; abolition of special funds—except highway funds, trust funds and other funds of a fiduciary character; installation of six-year capital budgets; new administrative control unit for the Governor's office; taking over by the State Highway Commission of primary road work in cities and an annual, comprehensive fiscal report.

A revision of State income tax laws to make them conform in certain respects to Federal methods of figuring exemptions and deductions. A spokesman for the commission said the effort here is to "widen the base" to include more low-bracket wage earners and the result could mean either increases or decreases in individual cases.

This proposal would allow exemptions of $600 each for taxpayer, spouse and dependents; $600 each for taxpayer and spouse at age 55 and $600 each for taxpayer and spouse if blind. There also would be a broadening of allowable deductions in keeping with the Federal provisions.

On the subject of public education, the commission proposed:

A reassessment of the authority of the State Board of Education to put emphasis on subject-matter requirements rather than on regulatory power; selection of members of the county school board by the county board of supervisors; comprehensive tests by the State Board of Education to determine what pupils have learned in the schools; emphasis on the "fundamentals" of education; a larger equalization fund and discretionary fund; more effort by the localities.

For school construction, it recommended: that 90 percent of any money made available by the General Assembly to the localities be distributed on the basis of average daily attendance and that each locality be required to match dollar for dollar its proportionate share as a requisite for receiving any portion of the amount distributed; that any locality be permitted to apply literary loans approved or bond issues certified since July 1, 1945, excluding Federal funds, for school construction against the matching of any State funds so distributed. In addition to the use of such funds for school construction, any locality would be permitted to apply a part or all of its proportionate share to the retirement of such loans or bonds.

Postlude

Callaway Leads Choral Groups In Fine Rendition of Messiah

By Paul Hume

"Messiah" by Handel brought every word and note of its triumphant story into fullest meaning last night in Constitution Hall.

It was sung there by the combined Washington and Cathedral Choral Societies directed by Paul Callaway. It was the first appearance of these two choruses, now one in music and spirit.

The orchestra was drawn from the finest players of the National Symphony. In texture and beauty the instrumental parts came forth as we have not heard them before in Washington.

They were considerably enhanced by the use of a Hammond organ. It was the latest model and the first we have heard which was a joy and enrichment to the orchestral support. It was superbly played by Richard Dirksen.

For soloists Callaway had Barbara Stevenson, soprano; Eunice Alberts, contralto; Harold Haugh, tenor, and Arthur Kent, baritone. Miss Stevenson has sung this music four years in succession for us, and never before touched the radiance of her work last night.

Harold Haugh has the music and spirit of Messiah completely in his heart. He sings not only his own music with fine style and vocalism but most of the choruses.

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PETER PAN **PEANUT BUTTER** 12 oz. jar 35c
LIBBY'S **TOMATO CATSUP** 14-oz. bot. 21c
LAKE SHORE **HONEY** lb. jar 33c

With Sunday Chicken
Ocean Spray CRANBERRY SAUCE Ready to Serve 2 16-oz. cans 33c

NIBLETS CORN
with that fresh-shucked flavor!
2 12 oz. cans 33c

IT'S BACK! That THRIFTY delicious breakfast treat!
VOGT'S
THE ORIGINAL CANNED PHILADELPHIA
SCRAPPLE 16-oz. can 25c

BRUCE'S
PIN-GRA
A delightful blend of pineapple and grapefruit juices.
lge. 46 oz. can 41c

GREEN GIANT PEAS
Packed at the fleeting moment of perfect flavor!
2 303 cans 39c

Uncle Ben's Converted Long Grain
RICE 14 oz. pkg. 18c

ARLINGTON WATER GROUND
CORN MEAL
5 lb. bag 31c

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"America's Favorite Bleach and Household Disinfectant"
It's EXTRA-GENTLE . . . prolongs life of linens—keep them hygienically "CLOROX-CLEAN."
Quart 17c
½ Gallon 29c

Libby's Vienna Sausage No. ½ can 19c
Libby's Corned Beef 12 oz. can 45c
Libby's BEEF STEW No. 2 can 39c
Libby's Corned Beef Hash No. 2 can 35c
Libby's Deviled Ham No. ¼ can 19c

BRING IN YOUR Libby's CORN & PEAS COUPONS We Redeem Them

CORN
GOLDEN BANTAM CRUSHED 2 303 cans 29c
WHOLE KERNEL 2 12 oz. vac pac Cans 31c

PEAS
GARDEN SWEET 2 303 cans 39c
JUMBO 2 303 cans 37c

Libby's SWEET **Pickle Chips** 22 oz. jar 37c

Libby's **TOMATO JUICE**
It's Twice-Rich!
Rich in Vitamins . . . . Rich in Flavor!
No. 2 cans 2 for 27c
No. 5 can 27c

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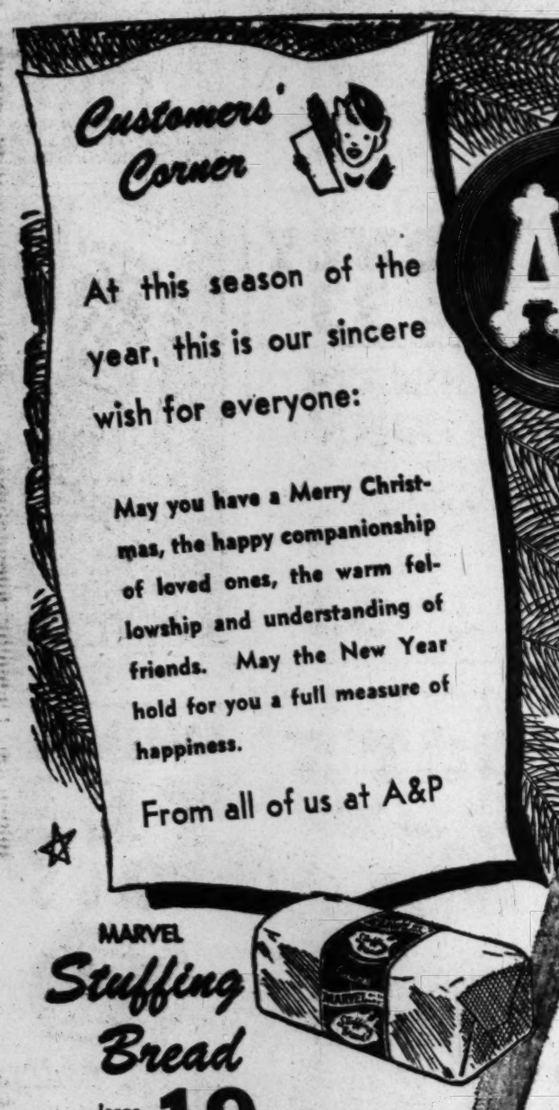
Set Your Christmas Table With Fine Foods From A & P . . .

Customers' Corner

At this season of the year, this is our sincere wish for everyone:

May you have a Merry Christmas, the happy companionship of loved ones, the warm fellowship and understanding of friends. May the New Year hold for you a full measure of happiness.

From all of us at A&P



MARVEL **Stuffing Bread** large loaf **19c**

DEL MONTE SLICES OR HALVES **Peaches**	2 No. 2½ cans	47c
DEL MONTE **Fruit Cocktail**	No. 2½ can	32c
DOLE PINEAPPLE **Juice**	2 No. 2 cans	29c
CAMPBELL'S **Tomato Soup**	3 cans	31c
STANDARD QUALITY **Tomatoes**	2 No. 2 cans	21c
A&P OR LANG'S **Sauerkraut**	2 No. 2½ cans	23c
DEL MONTE GOLDEN VACUUM PACKED **Corn**	2 12-oz. cans	29c
DEL MONTE **Sugar Peas**	17-oz. can	19c
PAPPAS BRAND **Cranberry Sauce**	2 16-oz. cans	23c
IONA **Tomato Juice**	46-oz. can	19c
EVAPORATED **Milk** WHITE HOUSE	4 tall cans	45c

Ocean Spray Strained **CRANBERRY SAUCE** 2 16-oz. Cans **29c**

Add fresh appeal to your festive meal with A&P Fruits and Vegetables

JUICY FLORIDA (Sizes 176-200) **ORANGES** dozen **29c**

Lettuce	LARGE CALIFORNIA ICEBERG	2 heads 29c
Celery	CALIFORNIA PASCAL	stalk 19c
Cranberries	EATMORE BRAND 1-lb. ctn.	19c

WESTERN **Crisp Carrots**	2 bchs. 23c	LOUISIANA **Yams** PORTO RICAN	3 lbs. 35c
LUSCIOUS **Emperor Grapes**	2 lbs. 29c	WESTERN **Cauliflower**	head 29c
CALIFORNIA **Brussels Sprouts**	qt. box 29c	FLORIDA (SIZE 80) **Grapefruit**	3 for 29c
WESTERN **Stayman Apples**	3 lbs. 35c	CALIFORNIA **Finger Figs**	6-oz. pkg. 19c
WESTERN **Delicious Apples**	2 lbs. 25c	IMPORTED **Hallowi Dates**	lb. 19c
FIRM, RIPE **Tomatoes**	sallie. carton 19c	HOLLY **Wreaths** (16 INCH)	each 98c

Frosted Foods

Birds-Eye or Stokely's GREEN BEANS, LEAF SPINACH OR **PEAS** 2 pkgs. **49c**

Lima Beans CALIF. PRIME FORD HOOK	12-oz. pkg.	29c
Cut Corn BIRDS EYE	10-oz. pkg.	23c
Strawberries BIRDS EYE SLICED	12-oz. pkg.	37c
Fillets CAP'N JOHN'S OCEAN PERCH	pound	47c

New Crop Nuts

Mixed Nuts	1-lb. pkg.	45c
Paper Shell Almonds	1-lb. pkg.	39c
Brazil Nuts	1-lb. pkg.	39c
Thin Shell Pecans	1-lb. pkg.	45c
English Walnuts	1-lb. pkg.	43c
Fancy Filberts	1-lb. pkg.	33c

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Plump, tender, broad-breasted top-quality birds and, like all other famous A&P brands are sold with a satisfaction or your money back guarantee.

Under 17 Lbs pound **58c** — 19-lbs. and Over pound **48c**

TOP-QUALITY, EVISCERATED, OVEN-READY **TURKEYS** (UNDER 16-LBS.) pound **71c**

FRESHLY KILLED (4½ lbs. and over) **Roasting Chickens**	lb.	51c
TENDER (4 lbs. and over) **Stewing Chickens**	lb.	37c
LONG ISLAND **Ducklings**	lb.	45c

BELL'S POULTRY SEASONING pkg. 10c

SUPER-RIGHT **PORK LOIN ROAST** Whole Loin lb. **41c** Rib Half lb. **39c** Loin Half ..... lb. 45c

LONG CUT **Sauerkraut** pound **10c**

Plan Now For That Long Week-end Ahead . . .
STORES OPEN LATE Thurs. and Fri.
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Kingan's or Wilson **Smoked Hams** Shank End lb. **49c** Whole Ham lb. **53c**

SWIFT OR ARMOUR'S FRUIT DECORATED READY-TO-EAT **Hams** WHOLE HAM, WILSON, KINGAN OR ARMOUR'S	lb.	69c
Canned Hams (10 to 12-lbs.)	lb.	79c
SWIFT BROOKFIELD OR BRIGG'S **Sausage Meat**	1-lb. pkg.	35c
MORRELL'S PRIDE **Sliced Bacon**	1-lb. pkg.	51c

Quality Seafood

FRESH STANDARD **Oysters** pint **59c**

Fancy Shrimp LARGE (21-25 Count)	lb.	75c
Fancy Scallops	lb.	59c
Lobster Tails CUBAN ROCK MEDIUM SIZE	lb.	79c
Fancy Smelts	lb.	21c
Cod Steaks FANCY SLICED	lb.	29c
Pollock Fillets FANCY	lb.	21c

JANE PARKER **Fruit Cake** 3 lbs. **$2.45** 5 lbs. **$3.85**

Layer Cakes MERRY CHRISTMAS	each 79c	**Coffee Cakes** HOLIDAY FRUIT STOLLEN	each 39c
Cookies CHRISTMAS TREE OR STAR	pkg. 25c	**Golden Loaf Cakes**	each 25c
Springerle Cookies	pkg. 35c	**Layer Cakes** COCOANUT DEVIL FOOD	each 49c
Cookies PFEFFERNUSSE	pkg. 29c	**Marvel Bread**	1½-lb. loaf 17c
Anise Drop Cookies	pkg. 35c	**Lebkuchen Cookies**	pkg. 25c

ANN PAGE **Salad Dressing** pint jar **25c** quart jar **39c**

Stuffed Olives SULTANA	5½-oz. bot.	39c
Sparkle ANN PAGE GELATIN DESSERTS	3 pkgs.	19c
Preserves ANN PAGE STRAWBERRY	1-lb. jar	35c
Premium Saltines NABISCO	1-lb. box	26c
dexo VEGETABLE SHORTENING	3-lb. can	75c
Nutley OLEO MARGARINE	2 1-lb. pkgs.	41c
Granulated Sugar	5-lb. pkg.	47c
Family Flour SUNNYFIELD	5-lb. bag	37c
Molasses KING PO-T-RIK	2½-lb. can	31c

A&P Fancy New Pack **PUMPKIN** 2 No. 2½ Cans **21c**

Mince Meat MARYLAND BRAND	1½-ob. jar	29c
Pie Crust Mix PILLSBURY	pkg.	17c

A&P Dairy Center

SUNNYFIELD CREAMERY **BUTTER** 1-lb. print **69c** IN ¼-LB PRINTS 71c

CRESTVIEW LARGE **EGGS** GRADE B doz. **45c** EGGS SUNNYBROOK LARGE GRADE-A doz. 49c

Chateau CHEESE FOOD	½-lb. pkg.	27c	
Vera-Sharp BORDEN'S CHEESE	5-oz. jar	27c	
Cheese NEW YORK STATE SHARP	lb.	69c	
Sharp Cheese BENCH CURED	lb.	69c	
Cheese Food CHED-O-BIT	2-lb. loaf	73c	
Sweitzer DOMESTIC IN THE PIECE	lb.	69c	
Longhorn Cheese	lb.	47c	
Velveeta KRAFT CHEESE	½ lb. pkg.	27c	
Pabst-ett CHEESE SPREAD	6½-oz. pkg.	23c	
Cream Cheese Philadelphia Brand	3-oz. pkg.	17c	

A&P Fresh Coffee

MILD AND MELLOW **EIGHT O'CLOCK**	1-lb. bag	59c
	3-lb. bag	1.71
RICH AND FULL-BODIED **RED CIRCLE**	1-lb. bag	63c
	3-lb. bag	1.83
VIGOROUS AND WINEY **BOKAR**	1-lb. bag	65c
	3-lb. bag	1.89

LIBBY'S TENDER SWEET **Peas** 2 cans **37c** WHOLE KERNEL GOLDEN **Corn** 2 cans **31c** BRING YOR COUPONS TO A&P

A&P Super Markets

Apple Sauce A&P	2 No. 2 cans	23c
Prunes SUNSWEET LARGE DRIED	2 1-lb. pkgs.	45c
Raisins SUN-MAID SEEDLESS	2 15-oz. pkgs.	35c
Ketchup ANN PAGE	14-oz. bot.	18c
Mayonnaise ANN PAGE	pint jar	33c
Cookies WESTON'S GORGE IN ASSORTMENT	1-lb. box	39c
Sausage ARMOUR'S VIENNA	2 4-oz. cans	35c
Nestles SEMI-SWEET MORSELS	7-oz. pkg.	19c
Chili Con Carne Armour's	1-lb. can	29c
Rice UNCLE BEN'S	14-oz. pkg.	18c

Prices in this advertisement effective in Washington and vicinity.

Cashmere Bouquet TOILET SOAP 3 reg. bars **23c** 2 bath size bars, 23c

Lifebuoy HEALTH SOAP 2 bath-size bars **23c**

Ivory Flakes FOR LAUNDRY or DISHES large box **27c**

Camay Soap REGULAR SIZE 3 bars **23c**

Swift CLEANSER can **11c**

Ivory Snow FOR LAUNDRY or DISHES large box **27c**

Glim FOR WASHING DISHES 4-oz. bottle **29c**

Pard DOG FOOD 6 1-lb. cans **73c**

Christmas Wrapped **Cigarettes** POPULAR BRANDS CARTON OF 10 PKGS. **$1.57**

Holiday Candy

WARWICK ASSORTED **CHOCOLATES** 1-lb. box **59c** 2-lb. box **$1.15** 5-lb. box 2.85

ASSORTED **HARD CANDY**	1-lb. pkg.	29c
WORTHMORE **CREAM DROPS**	1-lb. pkg.	29c
STORY BOOK **LIFESAVERS**	book of 10	39c

CREAM CREST **FRESH MILK** GRADE A 1 quart carton **19c**

CHESTNUT FARMS HOMOGENIZED **FRESH MILK** GRADE A **2** 1 qt. cartons **43c**

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26 Kennedy St. N.W.	3933 South Capitol St.	Rockville, Md.
	500 12th St. S.E.	
	3105 Nichols Ave. S.E.	
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NEW YORK DRESSED
FANCY QUALITY TURKEYS
PLUMP HENS

Yes, these are tender, plump hen turkeys . . . fit to grace your festive Christmas table and sure to give you a bountiful repast!
10-14 lbs. lb. 59c

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TURKEYS
Waste-free . . . and trouble-free! We've done all the work of preparation on these fine birds. They are READY-TO-ROAST!
lb. 69c

LARGE EGGS STRICTLY FRESH GOVERNMENT GRADED "A" doz. ctn. 55c
SLICED BACON RATH BLACKHAWK lb. cello. 59c

DUBUQUE SUGAR-CURED • SMOKED
Christmas HAMS

10-14 lb. average whole or shank half
We reserve the right to limit quantities. No sales to dealers.
lb. 49c

OCEAN SPRAY
CRANBERRY SAUCE

2 1-lb. cans 29c

McCORMICK
POULTRY SEASONING can 9c
RUBBED SAGE pkg. 9c
FOR CHRISTMAS FEASTING

CROSSE AND BLACKWELL PLUM PUDDING 1-lb. can 41c
CROSSE AND BLACKWELL ORANGE JUICE lge. No. 5 can 29c
PENN-CARROL PUMPKIN 2 No. 2½ Cans 19c
PAPER SHELL ALMONDS 1-lb. cello pkg. 39c
DIAMOND BUDDED WALNUTS 1-lb. cello pkg. 43c

Wilkins Coffee lb. can 69c
CRISCO 3 lb. can 79c

ROCK CREEK QUALITY
CHRISTMAS PRODUCE

The finest, freshest in the land . . . fit for holiday feasting!
TASTY, FRESH CRANBERRIES lb. cello pkg. 19c
JUICY FLORIDA ORANGES 8 lb. bag or over 49c
CALIF. PASCAL CELERY extra large stalk 19c
THINSKIN FLORIDA JUICY GRAPEFRUIT 2 for 19c
WESTERN EXTRA FANCY RED DELICIOUS Apples 3 lbs. 35c
WESTERN FANCY WINESAP APPLES 3 lbs. 35c
FANCY YELLOW SQUASH . . . . . 2 lbs. 15c
RED SWEET POTATOES . . . . . 3 lbs. 29c
TANGERINES FLORIDA ZIPPER-SKIN

doz. 19c

Common Cold Virus Held Nonexistent

For Indigents

D. C. Accepts Chronic Ills Care Money

The District yesterday accepted a $65,391 grant from the United States Public Health Service to start a new program for treating indigents suffering from chronic diseases.

The grant, which will be supplemented by $8066 in District funds, will be used chiefly for two purposes:

1. To purchase equipment to detect chronic diseases, particularly heart disease, in early curative stages.

2. To provide post-hospital home care for persons afflicted with lingering diseases such as cancer, heart disease, and diabetes.

Most of the program will be devoted to home care, said District Health Officer Daniel L. Seckinger.

Seckinger said the program will be put into operation about the first of the year under Dr. Sidney Shindell, who has been assigned to the Health Department by USPHS. Home care can be given 30 or 40 patients simultaneously under the one-year grant, Seckinger said.

Chief benefits expected of home care, Seckinger said, are cutting down of medical costs to the District and freeing of needed beds at Gallinger Hospital. Patients can be treated at home for one fourth or less the cost of hospitalization, he stated.

"Patients are often discharged from the hospital sooner than we would like," said Seckinger, "to make rom for new patients. Under this program we could move some of them out sooner and still see that they receive proper care."

About $12,000 of the grant will be spent on new equipment to catch heart cases in early stages. It will be installed in the Southwest Health Center, Delaware ave. and I st. sw., where a clinic to give follow-up treatment to discharged hospital cases is now conducted. Most of the rest will be spent on the home care aspect of the program.

The Health Department had requested funds for home care of chronic illnesses in its budget for next year.

Public Health Service scientists here were advised this week by a New Jersey specialist that they're on the wrong track in virus research on the common cold.

The truly common cold, said Dr. Herman C. Comora, West New York ear, nose and throat specialist, is not dependent on a virus but is caused by nasal obstruction. He contends any human nose can be replumbed to proper natural function, to permanently end the vicious cycle of the common cold and its complicating factors.

Dr. Comora, assistant attending surgeon and instructor in otorhinolaryngology at New York's Presbyterian Hospital, discussed his theory with Dr. Leon Atlas at the National Institute of Health, Bethesda, Md. It was Dr. Atlas who three years ago announced isolation of a virus which in human experimentation caused "colds."

The New Jersey specialist was prompted to see Dr. Atlas by a statement in Drew Pearson's column quoting Dr. Atlas as debunking the new antihistaminic "cold-stoppers."

Dr. Comora believes that if a causative agent was isolated that produced common cold symptoms the ailment was more probably grippe or influenza than the common cold. Fever and chills experienced by the prisoner volunteers in the "cold" tests, he said, bear this out. Comora contends the truly common cold does not induce fever, and though it causes chilliness it does not cause chills. The other symptoms, sneezing and a running nose, are common cold symptoms, he agreed.

Elimination of the symptom complex of the true common cold is possible only if the two causative conditions—nasal obstruction and post-nasal drip, can be controlled, he said.

Navy Now Checking On Antihistamines

The Navy is now officially checking into the effectiveness of antihistamines in preventing and treating common colds.

The new investigation employs two 500-man group of enlisted personnel at Great Lakes, Ill., and will take about five months, according to Rear Adm. Clifford A. Swanson, Navy Surgeon General.

Busy Weekend Under Way for Mike Rector

What with birthday and Christmass, Mike Rector is going to have a busy weekend.

Making it even more exciting for Mike, who will be 5 years old today, will be the arrival by plane from Halifax, Nova Scotia, of more than a thousand Christmas cards. The cards are from listeners to Station CJCH, Halifax, who responded to the suggestion of disc jockey Norman Riley.

Riley had read in a Halifax newspaper that Mike had walked for the first time since he suffered third-degree burns over 70 percent of his body in November, 1948.

WTOP Reciprocates

To make it a two-way gesture of international good will, WTOP disc jockey Gene Klavan through his nightly "Capital Punishment" show is collecting cards and gifts for Marjory Dobbin, 9-year-old Halifax girl orphaned when 2.

Marjorie, who weighs only 66 pounds, has spent much of her life in the Halifax Children's Hospital. This year she will spend her first Christmas at home—St. Joseph's Orphanage.

Gifts and greetings from the Greenbelt Police Department, FBI Post 56, American Legion, and from various shops and individuals from as far away as Baltimore arrived yesterday at WTOP. The gifts will be shipped by WTOP to Haifax Saturday by plane.

The Mayor Writes, Too

A feature of Mike's birthday celebrated today will be a letter, complete with gold seal, from Mayor Gordon S. Kinley of Halifax.

The birthday observance will be quiet, said Mike's mother, Mrs. Everett Rector, of 613 Elliott st. ne., "just a small private party at Casualty Hospital."

Christmas morning Mike will be escorted home by members of the Optimists Club. He will have dinner and open his gifts, and return to the hospital about 5 p. m.

Students May Be Used On Ambulances

A shortage of interns at Gallinger Hospital may make it necessary for students to serve on District Health Department ambulances.

Health Officer Daniel L. Seckinger told the Commissioners yesterday that because of personnel needs of the armed forces, Gallinger Hospital now has 12 vacancies in an authorized staff of 44 interns.

District medical schools have already indicated they would consent to allow students to serve if it becomes necessary, Seckinger said.

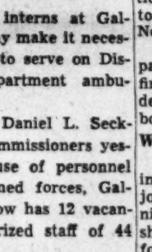
Seckinger's report also included a recommendation against setting up a first-aid room manned by Health Department interns in the Municipal Center. The Commissioners turned down the request, made by the Police Department, on Seckinger's report that it would be too costly and there wasn't space.

Police had asked for a first-aid room to cut down trips with injured prisoners from the central cell block at Municipal Center to Gallinger Hospital. This year, through August 11, 441 prisoners were taken to the hospital, but only 74 were admitted, police stated.

Seckinger suggested that minor injuries could be treated in existing facilities by the intern on duty at the Municipal Center with the Health Department ambulance service.

Wilson Named Red Cross Aide In Montgomery

L. Howell LaMotte, jr., chairman of the Montgomery County Chapter of the American Red Cross, announced the appointment today of Valentine C. Wilson, life-long resident of Rockville, as chairman of disaster relief.


Wilson

Wilson, an official in the State Department, has been for 19 years an officer of the Rockville Fire Department, of which his father, W. Valentine Wilson, was a founder in 1923.

The new appointee has made an intensive study of disaster relief with the Red Cross and other agencies. Before and during the early part of the last war, he lectured to civilian defense groups on disaster preparedness. Later he served in the European Theater of Operations with Gen. William J. Donovan of the wartime Office of Strategic Services.

Wilson is superintendent of Christ Episcopal Church School in Rockville, and a former vestryman. He was the first president of the Rockville Citizens Association, and last year served as chairman of the Rockville area for the 1949 Red Cross fund drive, in which the area raised 161 percent of its quota.

St. Ann's 'Deficit Committee' at Work

THEY NEED HELP—The "Deficit Committee"—Tommy, Melinda and Mike—of St. Ann's Infant Home, confer with their adult advisers in connection with the open house for friends of the home to be held 3 to 6 p. m., Monday, December 26, at St. Ann's, 2200 California st. nw. With the children are (left to right) Mrs. Jeremiah W. Sheehan, assistant chairman; Lillian L. McDonnell, chairman of the committee making plans for the open house, and Sister Genevieve of St. Ann's. Archbishop Amleto Giovanni Cicognani, Apostolic Delegate to the United States, and Archbishop Patrick A. O'Boyle of Washington will be guests of honor at the reception. The general public is invited to visit the home then and to see the work being done for orphans and children from broken homes by the Sisters of Charity, who conduct St. Ann's Infant Home, the oldest orphanage in Washington

Soldier Names Woman Victim Of Amnesia

A 23-year-old woman amnesia victim was identified at Gallinger Hospital yesterday as Mrs. Lorraine E. Thoren, of 1008 C st. sw., formerly of Cleveland, Ohio.

She was picked up by Park Police Pvt. Bayard Shaw Wednesday night. Shaw said he saw her walking about 10:30 p. m. on the Mall, near the Smithsonian Institution. He said she seemed to be in a dazed condition, could not identify herself or answer questions. Park police sent her to the hospital.

In her pocket officers found a small slip of paper bearing only the name "Daniel Perry." Park Police began a hunt yesterday for a man of that name. Detective J. J. Lyons finally located him, a Fort Belvoir soldier working temporarily in the holiday rush at the Alexandria postoffice.

Taken to Gallinger Hospital, he identified her and told Detective Lyons he had met her recently at a skating rink. Perry said she had told him she came here about three months ago from Cleveland, Ohio; that she was divorced and a child is with her former husband; that she worked in department stores here, fell in one of them, and broke her arm. She was bearing a bandage on her left arm when she was picked up.

Perry also said she told him her parents and a brother and sister were killed in a auto-train crash near Cleveland last summer.

Gallinger Hospital physicians said she apparently has lost her memory completely, and that she did not recognize Perry. At the C st. address, it was said she lived alone in a small apartment and neighbors knew nothing about her. Police were trying to verify a report she sometimes was referred to as Mrs. Richard Sterba, and also to locate relatives in Cleveland.

PANAM—From Page 1

Airways Deal Recommended

other allegations, that the proposed merger is part of a long-range program whereby Panam seeks to corner all the trans-Atlantic commercial flying.

Included among the permits held by American Overseas is the right to extend its operating facilities to Poland and Russia, (Warsaw, Leningrad and Moscow), should the Soviet Union join in the international air agreements.

At present American runs 18 to 20 round trips weekly from New York to Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Ireland, England, Holland, Finland, and places in the American Occupied Zone in Germany. It is authorized to serve Berlin and has made a number of flights to the American-controlled airport there.

In Wrenn's recommendation he suggested certain conditions be imposed to protect American employes.

Control of American Overseas is held by American Airlines, the domestic company. The proposed deal probably would involve the transfer of a large block of Panam stock to American for its holdings.

It would bring to Panam eight Boeing luxury Stratoliners scheduled for delivery to American early next year, which would enlarge that company's fleet of double-deck transports to 28.

Cold Water Quenches Hot Desire for Death

Berlin, Dec. 22 (AP).—Police today picked up a nude and shivering couple scampering out of the icy waters of a Grunewald Forest lake.

"We were going to commit suicide together," the man said, "but the water was too cold."

Mental Patient Scalded to Death In Therapy Tub

Chicago, Dec. 22 (U.P.).—A woman patient was found scalded to death in a hydrotherapy tub at Chicago State Hospital today, and authorities ordered an investigation.

The victim was Miss Esther Gatewood, 24. Investigators said it was possible a mental patient might have slipped into the hydrotherapy room while the girl was left unattended and turned on the hot water faucets. The death apparently occurred during a period of 20 minutes in which the attention of nurses was distracted while subduing a violent patient in a mental ward.

4 Japanese to Study Foreign Service Here

Seattle, Dec. 22 (AP).—Four officials of the Japanese Foreign Office will arrive here tomorrow en route to Washington, D. C., for foreign service training. The trip is sponsored by the State Department.

The quartet will be among the 745 passengers aboard an Army transport arriving from Japan, Seattle port of embarkation officials said.

They were identified as Katsumi Ohno, chief of the political bureau; Yasuhiko Nara, press section; Harumi Takeuchi, a division chief in the research bureau, and Jun Tsuchiya, liaison officer with Tokyo headquarters.

Dignitaries To Join Fete At St. Ann's

The Most Rev. Amleto Giovanni Cicognani, apostolic delegate to the United States, will be a guest Monday at a Christmas party and open house celebration at St. Ann's Infant Home, 2200 California st. nw.

Other guests will include the Most Rev. Patrick A. O'Boyle, Archbishop of Washington, and the Most Rev. John M. McNamara, Auxiliary Bishop of Washington.

Christmas carols will be sung by choral groups from Dunbarton College of Holy Cross and Immaculate Conception Academy. Archbishop Cicognani will celebrate the Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 5 p. m. in the chapel of the home.

Open house hours are from 3 to 6 p. m.

Quads Born in France

Lille, France, Dec. 22 (U.P.).—Boy quadruplets were born today to Mme. Andree Morel, 27, wife of a farm laborer. Mother nad children are doing well, the maternity hospital said. Mme. Morel had three children previously.

Sunday Bus Schedule Planned for Monday

Capital Transit Co. last night announced that all its streetcar and bus lines will operate on Sunday schedules during Christmas and New Year Mondays.

The company also said it will provide extra late service on the majority of its lines on New Year Eve to accommodate those attending midnight church services, theaters and other late events.

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ASPARAGUS SPEARS	12 oz.	43c
EXTRA FANCY PEAS	12 oz.	25c
BROCCOLI SPEARS	10 oz.	29c
BALLARD ROLLS	8 ⅛ can	21c
SUCCOTASH (Lima Beans & Corn)	12 oz.	29c

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HAMS lb. **49c**

Armour's Star
SAUSAGE MEAT lb. **31c**
GREEN LINKS lb. **49c**

Laurel Sugar Cured
BACON *Sliced Layer* lb. **43c**

Ocean Spray
CRANBERRY Sauce ..... 2 *16 oz. cans* **31c**
Hearts of
CELERY ..... *Cello pkg.* **19c**
McCormick's Poultry
SEASONING ..... *7/8 Oz.* **9c**
McCormick's Rubbed
SAGE **9c**

Farm Fresh Produce
APPLES
Western Delicious 2 lbs. **23c** | *Greenings* 3 lbs. **25c**
Juicy, Florida **ORANGES** 5 lbs. **29c**
Ripe Repack **TOMATOES** *ctn. of 4* **17c**
Carolina, Red Sweet **POTATOES** 3 lbs. **29c**
Sweet Golden-ripe **TANGERINES** 2 lbs. **23c**
Fresh, Juicy **CRANBERRIES** *lb. cello. pkg.* **19c**
Firm, California **CAULIFLOWER** lb. **15c**

SHORTENING
CRISCO or SPRY *3 lb. can* **83c**

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PATTIES lb. **41c**
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FRUIT CAKE *2 lb. tin* **1.79**

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PLUM PUDDING *16 oz. tin* **39c**

Christmas Candies

Brock's
MAGNOLIA MARSH-MALLOWS *lb. cello pkg.* **25c**

Giant GUM DROPS	lb.	25c
Hershey's Chocolate KISSES	6 oz.	25c
Gay Xmas MIXTURE TIN	lb.	25c
Broken Mix HARD CANDY	lb.	25c
Imperial BON BONS	lb.	29c

Whiteman's Pickles

Whole or Sliced KOSHER DILL	qt.	31c

Imported From Holland

Placed, Tiny GHERKINS	5-oz.	35c
Sweet GHERKINS	12 oz.	41c
Sweet Midget PICKLES	8 oz.	39c

Haase's Olives

Stuffed, Placed MANZANILLA	1¾ oz.	27c
Stuffed, Placed QUEEN	5 oz.	47c

McCormick Spices

Ground NUTMEG	1⅜ oz.	19c
Ground CINNAMON	1⅛ oz.	9c
Extract VANILLA	2 oz.	35c
Assorted COLORS	lge.	21c

Mott's CIDER	½ gal.	39c	gal.	69c
Libby's Fruit COCKTAIL	2½ can	33c		
Assorted Flavors JELLO	3 pkgs.	23c		

Betty Crocker
CRUST-QUICK 2 9 oz. **35c**

Assorted Nuts

Diamond Large Budded WALNUTS	lb.	45c
Red bow MIXED NUTS	lb.	47c
Cliff House, Ex. Lge. BRAZILS	lb.	39c
Blue Pirate, Lge. FILBERTS	lb.	35c
Funsten X-Large Papershell PECANS	lb.	48c
Blue Diamond Nonpareil ALMONDS	lb.	43c

Del Monte
PINEAPPLE
Sliced No. 2 can **29c** | *Sliced* No. 2½ can **35c** | *Crushed* No. 2 can **27c**
Pineapple **JUICE** 2 No. 2 cans **33c** | No. 5 can **39c**

Bakery Needs

Franklin Granulated
SUGAR 5 lbs. **47c**

FLAKO	2 8 oz.	33c
Pillsbury Pie CRUST	2 8½ oz.	35c
Swansdowne Cake FLOUR	44 oz.	39c
Snowsheen Cake FLOUR	40 oz.	39c
BISQUICK	40 oz.	45c

Calumet Baking **POWDER** 16 oz. **21c**

Mince Meat
Rum Flavored **MAJOR** 24 oz. **33c**
NONESUCH 9-oz. pkg. **19c** | 28-oz. jar **39c**

D.G.S. Custard
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Turkeys Up 4 Cents From Thanksgiving

The Washington housewife buying her family's Christmas dinner this week will find enough turkey to go around in the markets, at prices averaging about 4 cents a pound more than at Thanksgiving, a survey showed.

Present prices, ranging from 43 to 59 cents a pound for the toms and about 10 cents a pound more for the smaller hens, represent a sharp drop of 20 cents or more as compared with last Christmas.

The housewife who doesn't mind buying a bird of 22-pound proportions can pay as low as 43 cents a pound in a few stores. For the more average-size tom, however, she will find a number of stores charging 49 to 53 cents a pound.

Toms More Popular

"Many people are wising up this year and buying the big toms," said Fred Kolker, chairman of the wholesale poultry division of the Merchants and Manufacturers Association.

"By dividing them with their neighbors, they get more meat for their money that way," he said.

Retail prices of eviscerated or "ready for the pan" birds range from 53 to 73 cents for a tom and from 75 to 85 cents for a hen. Last year, such hens were quoted as high as $1.05 a pound.

Most of the things that go into the holiday dinner are plentiful and are priced about the same or lower than a year ago. Coffee is a glaring exception.

Cranberries 4c Lower

Fresh cranberries, generally selling for 19 cents a pound, compare with 23 cents a year ago in most stores.

Those who make oyster stuffing for their bird, will find the bivalves selling at 59 cents a pint for the standard grade and 69 cents for the selects, down about 6 to 8 cents from a year ago. Chestnuts, at 19 cents a pound, are 4 cents lower.

Fresh vegetables are in good supply and variety, with many prices down from last year. Retailers said the same was true of fruits, with the exception of grapefruit and lemons.

Nuts, raisins, fruit cakes and mince pie are so abundant that the Department of Agriculture has included them in the most-plentiful category of foods. Nut prices generally range from 35 to 45 cents a pound.

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Thousands Head for Home

the hospital, a full program has been arranged.

It includes a Christmas Eve visit from Santa Claus, courtesy the Red Cross, and breakfast Christmas morning before a blazing fireplace at the Red Cross Recreation Hall.

Seven hundred youngsters, children of hospital personnel and patients, were given a Christmas party at the hospital yesterday afternoon.

A homesick Altoona, Pa., soldier won the hospital's contest for the best ward decoration. Pvt. Russell McElwee, 24, and friends of Ward 11-A re-created Altoona's hills and railroad lines, and what's better, McElwee left yesterday for furlough at the real thing.

Traditional turkey dinners and religious services will be part of Christmas Day programs at every Army installation in the Washington Military District, Walter Reed included.

Maj. Gen. Roy H. Parker, Army Chief of Chaplains, will deliver the sermon at a candlelight service at Fort Myer.

Midnight masses will be celebrated at both Walter Reed and Fort Myer.

Red Cross is sponsoring a Christmas party today at the United States Soldiers' Hospital, a wagon of carolers Saturday night at Fort Myer, and a Christmas Eve caroling at St. Elizabeths Hospital Open house will be held Christmas Day in the Red Cross recreation room at St. Elizabeths; and the Jewish Welfare Board, through the Red Cross agency, will sponsor a Christmas party for patients December 27.

Still the top event Saturday in Washington is the National Community Christmas Tree Celebration on the White House lawn at 4:30 p.m. The southeast gate of the White House will open at 3:30 p.m.

A community feature in Falls Church is the large, electric Christmas star atop the Falls Church water tower. In Kensington, Md., the Chamber of Commerce will judge home lighting displays December 26, 27 and 28. Six merchandize prizes are offered.

The Prince Georges County Kiwanis Club played host yesterday to 170 underprivileged children with a turkey dinner and gifts at the Varsity Grill, College Park.

At 9 a. m. today, nine students at Robert E. Lee School, Arlington, will trim the tree at Lee Mansion. Their costumes will be old-fashioned. So will the decorations—popcorn and cranberry strings in place of light bulbs.

The "Caroling Streetcar"—a combination of singing youngsters, a touring trolley and a loudspeaker system—journeyed through Washington streets last night and is scheduled to do the same tonight. Capital Transit Co. and the District Recreation Department cooperate in the project.

To Visit St. Joseph's

The engine and boxcar of the District 40 and 8, American Legion, will lead a caravan of cars with police escort to a Christmas party tonight at St. Joseph's Home and School, Eastern ave. and Randolph st. ne. A two-hour show and distribution of gifts, candy and fruit will be highlights.

And the Navy Bureau of Ordnance yesterday announced that its employes contributed 1000 toys—the largest donation of any Government agency—to the "Doll House" campaign for gifts for Washington vicinity children.

Among Christmas parties planned by Washington civic, fraternal and welfare organizations are:

TODAY — Mature Americans, Inc., night, Naval Lodge Hall, 330 Pennsylvania ave. se.; American Automobile Association, 1 p. m., Shoreham Hotel, association members invited; Women's Army Corps students of the practical nursing course at Forest Glen Annex of Walter Reed Hospital, 1 p. m., Forest Glen administration building.

SATURDAY—Boys YMCA, 10 a. m., 1732 G st. nw., singing, movies, swimming; Pleasant Plains Civic Association, Banneker Recreation Center, 7:30 to 8:30 p. m., Christmas tree lighting and carol singing; American Veterans Committee's party for children, AVC Clubhouse, 1751 New Hampshire ave. nw., 2 to 5 p. m., guests from District Catholic Charities, Northwest Settlement House, Northeast Mission, St. Peter Claver Center, the Washington Receiving Home and the Inter-Church Fellowship.

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POSTOFFICE PLAQUE DEDICATED—Postmaster General Jesse M. Donaldson, standing in front of a bronze plaque dedicated yesterday to the Postoffice Department's 342 World War II veterans from Washington, delivers the dedicatory address. Donaldson urged Americans "to follow President Truman's lead—work and pray for peace"

3 Youths Cleared As Gas Station Slaying Suspects

Three Dundalk (Md.) youths, arrested early yesterday on a charge of breaking into a Laurel gas station, have been cleared of any connection with the filling station murder of Winston C. Clay, jr., December 6.

Prince Georges County police said they questioned the trio at length and were satisfied they had nothing to do with the killing of Clay, 18, who was fatally wounded during the robbery of a Berwyn filling station where he was employed.

The boys, Hunter J. Epperson, 18; Joe M. Sellers, 18, and a juvenile, were arrested by State Trooper George L. Herman at 2:30 a. m. a short time after Laurel police discovered a filling station there had been entered. They are being held at the Waterloo State Police jail

Sales of Sugar Remain Same For Next Year

By John W. Ball
Post Reporter

The Agriculture Department yesterday fixed the amount of sugar that may be sold in the domestic market next year at 7,500,000 tons raw value, the same as this year.

This means that sugar, a world-surplus commodity, will not go down in price during 1950, unless the department changes its ruling.

The amount fixed for next year is the same as was consumed in the continental United States this year.

Sales of sugar by processors, refiners and importers, are controlled by the department under the Sugar Act of 1948. This is legislation designed to stabilize prices and supplies in the interest of domestic beet and cane sugar producers.

The quota fixed by the Agriculture Department determines the amount of sugar that may be imported from the large sugar producing areas, Cuba, Hawaii, Puerto Rica, and so forth.

United States Beet Sugar Producers had asked that the quotas be reduced to 7,200,000 tons. Large industrial users, such as soft drink bottlers, bakers and candy manufacturers had asked that it be increased to 8,098,000 tons.

The beet sugar men wanted quotas reduced sufficiently to raise the present price from $8.05 for 100 pounds to $8.88. The industrial users wanted it reduced a similar amount.

Randolph Churchill Runs

London, Dec. 22 (U.P.).—Randolph Churchill, 48-year-old son of Winston Chuchill, will be the Conservative candidate in the forthcoming Parliamentary election in Devonport.

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Drivers Urged To Be Careful Over Holidays

A special warning to motorists against mixing driving with drinking during the holiday season was issued yesterday by George E. Keneipp, District director of vehicles and traffic.

He announced 416 driver permits have been revoked this year, to December 18, for drunken driving.

Penalties for conviction of the offense are severe, Keneipp pointed out. Included, for a first offense, are a fine up to $500, imprisonment up to six months, or both; mandatory revocation of driver permit for at least six months; required full application and reexamination for a new permit; suspension of registration certificates, and application of the financial responsibility law before registration certificates are restored.

For second and subsequent convictions, criminal penalties rise to fines up to $1000, imprisonment up to one year, or both. Revocation and suspension provisions also apply.

Keneipp said the Commissioners Traffic Advisory Board is initiating a special safety campaign with the slogan, "Watch Out When You Step Out," to continue through January. Car cards, movie trailers and "table tents," or card folders in restaurants and bars, will be used.

Physicist Is Fined $25 For Assault on Officer

Harvey Banks, 26, of 139 Florida ave. nw., a research physicist at Howard University, was fined $25 in Municipal Court for simple assault on Police Pvt. Albert Palls, it was learned yesterday. The assault took place last November at a football game in Griffith Stadium.

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HUNTER'S FANCY GRADE "A"
SLICED BACON lb. 49c
RATH'S FANCY BLACK HAWK
HAMS lb. 55c
WHOLE OR SHANK HALF
12-14 LB. AVERAGE
SHARP CHEESE pound 69c
Atmore's Famous Plum Pudding 1 lb. can 43c
FANCY RED Sweet Potatoes 3 lbs. 29c
Shurfine YELLOW-CLING HALVES OR SLICED Peaches No. 2½ can 25c
TIP-TOP FANCY CUT ALL-GREEN Asparagus No. 2 can 33c
Shurfine STRAINED Cranberry Sauce 2 reg. cans 29c
Shurfine Fruit Cocktail big No. 2½ can 33c
FANCY STAYMAN WINESAP APPLES 3 lbs. 25c
FANCY CELERY HEARTS bunch 19c
FANCY FLORIDA NAVAL ORANGES 3 lbs. 25c
FANCY CALIFORNIA WHITE CAULIFLOWER HEAD LARGE 27c
RIPE TOMATOES 4 in ctn. 19c
CHINA BEAUTY Chow Mein Dinner reg. pkg. 49c
NIBLETS WHOLE KERNEL CORN 2 12 oz. Vac Pac cans 33c
BUMBLE BEE LIGHT MEAT TUNA SOLID PACK large can 39c
INDIAN HEAD WATER GROUND Corn Meal 2 lb. pkg. 14c 5 lb. pkg. 31c
X-PERT CAKE MIXES 14 oz. pkg. 27c
Devil's Food, White Cake or Gold Chiffon Cake.
X-PERT INSTANT CREME FROSTING reg. pkg. 21c
Jolly Time Pop Corn 2 10 oz. cans 39c
Beauty Basket Soft Spun Napkins pkg. of 80 12c
Sunshine Hydrox Cookies 7½-oz. pkg. 23c
Old Virginia Grape Jam lb. jar 22c
Ritter Chili Sauce Relish reg. bot. 25c
Sugar Ripe Raisins 15-oz. pkg. 17c
Cate's Sliced Sweet Pickles 16-oz. jar 35c
Carolina Beauty Sweet Dill Strips 16-oz. jar 35c
Shurfine Fancy Sauerkraut 2 No. 2½ cans 29c
Three Star Stuffed Manzanilla Olives 6¾-oz. bot. 33c
Libby's VIENNA SAUSAGE No. 2½ can 19c
POTTED MEAT 2 No. ¼ cans 19c
NUTS IN 1-LB. CELLO BAGS: Diamond Large WALNUTS 43c; Large Washed BRAZILS 37c; MIXED NUTS 45c; FILBERTS 33c; PECANS 43c
MINCE MEAT: OLD VIRGINIA Rum Flavor 24-oz. jar 33c; Atmore's Happy Jack 18-oz. jar 36c; Shurfine Condensed 9-oz. pkg. 16c
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GROUND NUTMEG pkg. 19c
FOOD COLORS pkg. 20c

Jury Indicts Slayer Of Three Children

John Steven Conner, shotgun slayer of his three children 16 days ago, yesterday was indicted by an Alexandria Corporation Court grand jury on three counts of murder.

The balding, 39-year-old West Point graduate was not present when the true bills were returned. He will be arraigned before Corporation Court Judge William P. Woolls today.

Conner, a $7000-a-year civilian engineer at Fort Belvoir, will be defended by Attorney T. Brooke Howard. He is being held without bail at Alexandria jail. Date f his trial probably will be set today.

The engineer killed his children, Stephanie, 11, Michael, 9, and Cecelia, 5, about 7:45 a. m. December 7 at their home, 123 Belvoir st., Alexandria. He told police he had decided to wipe out his family becaue he feared the children would inherit his mental spells. His attorney has said he will enter a plea of innocent by reason of insanity.

Conner was one of 32 persons indicted yesterday by the grand jury.

Others include five members of a gang which, police said, was responsible for 65 housebreakings in Alexandria since late 1946.

They were John N. Kelly, 23, and his wife, Rosa, 21, of 819 5th st. nw. and his brothers William F. Kelly, 27, Chinquapin Village, Alexandria; and James Kelly, 25, who presently is serving time for housebreaking; and Obert Shanholtz, 19, 1168 Neal st. ne.

Police Payoff Investigation Delayed; D. A. Office to Supply Data Next Week

Police investigation of charges that three policemen were regularly paid off by an indicted gambler was temporarily discontinued yesterday.

Superintendent of Police Robert J. Barrett said that the investigation "has gone as far as it can, until we get certain information from the United States Attorney."

This information was promised for the first of this week, Barrett said, but "we have now been told we will get it the first of next week." He would not say what the information was.

"We will resume the investigation as soon as we get the information," he said.

Inspector George R. Wallrodt, police supervisor, was named by Barrett to investigate charges made by Bernice Franklin, key Government witness before the special gambling grand jury.

Miss Franklin made the charges on December 7, during the trial of her former boy friend Attilio Acalotti, an indicted gambler. She said Acalotti paid three policemen "once a month" and associated with two others.

Acalotti was convicted of threatening Miss Franklin, and was sentenced to serve from eight months to two years in jail on the obstruction of justice charge. He faces three gambling trials next month.

Barrett said that Inspector Wallrodt has returned to his normal duties, pending receipt of the information from United States Attorney George Morris Fay's office.

Assistant United States Attorney William Hitz, who is preparing the information for Wallrodt, said yesterday "it will be ready Tuesday or Wednesday of next week and will be delivered to Inspector Wallrodt."

He said pressure of other business had kept him from preparing the information as originally planned. Hitz is prosecuting many of the 36 men indicted by the special grand just last April.

2 Trainmen Killed

New York, Dec. 22 (AP).—Two trainmen were killed tonight when two empty Long Island Railroad passenger trains collided in Queens. Train service to a large area of Long Island was halted.

Gomulka Reported Facing Treason Trial

Vienna, Dec. 22 (AP).—Western sources here said today they had been informed Wladyslaw Gomulka, one-time Vice Premier of Poland, is in a Warsaw jail awaiting trial on treason charges.

Yule Nippee Ends Badly For Shippee

Holiday cheer and holly wreaths and Christmas trees and plate glass and liquor and more liquor got all mixed up early yesterday. The result was that Leonard C. Shippee, 28, of 1418 14th st. nw., sat in jail awaiting arraignment today on a housebreaking charge.

Police Pvts. H. E. Harmon and J. A. Payne, in Scout Car 72, found a front show window smashed, about 5:30 a. m., at Pearson's Liquor Annex, 2436 Wisconsin ave. nw. Later, store officials said 43 fifths of whisky were taken.

Harmon and Payne launched a search of the neighborhood. First place they looked was a vacant lot across the street. It is in use for sale of Christmas trees and wreaths.

Prowling among the trees, they said, they found Shippee.

Also, they said, they found:

An almost empty fifth of whisky beside Shippee.

Four more, full, in his pockets.

That he was less than coherent.

That there were other fifths snugly hidden around the lot, under the spruces and balsams and holly.

That Shippee had fragments of broken glass on his clothing.

Adding these findings up, they arrested Shippee. He will go to Municipal Court today.

Chemist Freed For Treatment In Sex Case

Judge Stedman Prescott yesterday imposed a suspended sentence on an admitted sex offender in Montgomery Circuit Court to permit the defendant to undergo psychiatric rehabilitation.

Judge Prescott warned the defendant, Charles L. Gordon, jr., 39, of Potomac, Md., that "the court is not going to play with you for one moment. If there is any indication of a recurrence, the court will segregate you from society for a long, long time."

Gordon, a Bureau of Standards chemist, was convicted December 9 of unnatural sex acts involving two Bethesda girls, aged 6 and 7, last June. He then lived at 4922 Westway dr., Bethesda.

Kenneth Lyddane, Gordon's attorney, told the court that his client had made arrangements to receive psychiatric treatment three times weekly and asked that he be freed to follow out this program.

State's Attorney Walter W. Dawson also told Judge Prescott the parents of the victims "felt that treatment is more desirable than punishment."

Soldier Cleared Of Manslaughter In Traffic Death

Charges of manslaughter in the traffic death December 11 of Charles Ravida, 30-year-old Fort Belvoir sergeant, were dismissed yesterday against the driver of the car in which he was riding.

Freed by Arlington County Court Judge Hugh Reid was another Fort Belvoir sergeant, William R. Spence, 26, of Griffithsville, Ark.

Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney Tom Gilmer explained there were no witnesses, since the third passenger in the car, Harold J. Wilson, 37, of Pensacola, Fla., was asleep when the accident occurred.

According to police, Spence crashed into the back of a truck driven by Thomas J. Dennison of Sutz, Fla., on Route 1 near Glebe rd. He told police he did not see the vehicle until he was "on top of it."

Soap Box Derby Track No Excuse, Speeder Fined $15

There is a time and a place for everything and that is why Elias Karu, 41, of 1605 52d ave., Coral Hills, Md., paid $15 yesterday in Municipal Court.

Karu was charged with speeding December 13 at 50 miles an hour along Pennsylvania ave., east of the Sousa Bridge.

He said the spot he chose for fast driving was the location of the annual soap box derby.

"It might be a speedway on derby day, but for the rest of the year the speed limit is 25 miles an hour," said Judge George D. Neilson in imposing the fine.

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PERLO KOSHER PICKLES Whole or Slices	qt. jar	35c
PERLO MEDIUM PRUNES	1-lb. pkg.	23c

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CREAM OF WHEAT 14 oz. pkg. 18c 28 oz. pkg. 31c
BLUE PIRATE OREGON Filberts 1-lb. pkg. 35c
CALIFORNIA PAPER SHELL Almonds 1-lb. pkg. 39c
CALTROP CLUSTER Raisins 15 oz. pkg. 43c
PITTED PASTEURIZED "FRUIT OF ARABY" DATES 7¼ oz. pkg. 25c
HARLEM 30% FILLED HARD MIXED CANDY 1-lb. pkg. 35c

Try this easy Holiday Treat!
Holiday Fruit Mold!
1 package strawberry Jell-O
2 cups hot liquid (syrup from fruit cocktail plus water)
2 tablespoons lemon juice
1½ cups canned fruit cocktail
¼ cup chopped walnuts
Salad greens
Dissolve Jell-O in hot liquid and stir in lemon juice. Cool until slightly thickened. Fold in 1 cup well-drained fruit cocktail and nuts. Turn into oiled 1-quart star-shaped mold. Chill until firm. Unmold on salad greens. If desired, frost star with fluffy cream cheese dressing. Decorate with remaining fruit cocktail. Serves 4.
Note: If you have no star mold, chill Jell-O in a round pan until firm. Cut in 5 wedge-shaped slices. Arrange points outward to make a star.

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PET EVAPORATED MILK	3 tall cans	35c
PILLSBURY'S BEST FLOUR	5 lb. bag	49c
BAKER'S SOUTHERN STYLE COCOANUT	4 oz. can	17c
BAKER'S DOT CHOCOLATE	½ lb. bar	39c
PERLO or GARDEN MINCE MEAT Rum Flavored	2 lb. jar	49c
PERLO CUSTARD PUMPKIN	No. 2½ can	15c

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Beech-Nut FOODS FOR BABIES
5 jars strained 47c
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The creamy delicious flavor that children love . . . and it's Beech-Nut—your assurance of quality.
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NABISCO ANNIVERSARY ASSORTMENT	lb. pkg.	59c
KEEBLER BUTTERCUP COOKIES	12 oz. pkg.	27c
SUNSHINE HYDROX COOKIES	7½ oz. pkg.	23c
BORDEN'S INSTANT MIX for hot chocolate	8 oz. can	25c
DIAMOND LARGE BUDDED WALNUTS	1 lb. pkg.	43c
SOUR OR DILL PICKLES, Lucky Dutchman	qt. jar	23c
NIBLETS VAC-PAC CORN	2 12 oz. cans	33c

COLLEGE INN Chili con Carne 16-oz. tin 29c
JOLLY TIME POP CORN 10 oz. can 19c
ARMOUR ★ CORNED BEEF 12 oz. can 43c

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Jury Acquits Three In Bogus Money Case

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HAS STOMACH TICK—Dennis Tolmich, 4, of Denver, Colo., just can't help wondering whether his brother's watch is still ticking. The watch is in brother Dale's stomach. Dale stuck the watch in his mouth during a tussle with Dennis and swallowed it. Nothing to worry about, said the doctor—lots of soft food and "the rest is just a matter of time"

Three persons were acquitted yesterday in District Court of complicity in a counterfeiting ring that made more than $100,000 in bogus $20 bills here this year.

They are Mr. and Mrs. William F. Hughes of 6000 13th st. nw., who were found innocent by direction of Judge Alexander Holtzoff, and Arthur M. Bebar, 35, a printer, of 1013 17th st. ne., who was acquitted by a jury.

Two others pleaded guilty earlier to counterfeiting the money and turned Government witnesses against the Hugheses and Bebar. They are Walter W. Kidwell, 30, of 1204 Calvert st. se. and Eugene H. Creighton, 25, his former roommate.

Judge Holtzoff told the jury he believed the verdict to be just. He said it was apparent Kidwell and Creighton had engineered the entire counterfeiting plot and that the three persons they implicated were innocent.

Kidwell said he left a suitcase containing the counterfeit money with the Hughes couple but acknowledged he did not tell them what it contained. Kidwell contended Bebar made the plates for the money. But it was the defense argument that Kidwell knew how to make the plates.

According to the Government, less than $2000 of the money was passed before the arrests occurred. A sixth man arrested in Cleveland while passing the bills led police to the local people.

Milton Kaplan represented Mr. and Mrs. Hughes, and John Fitzpatrick was attorney for Bebar.

Paul Griffith Named Assistant to Johnson

Paul H. Griffith, former National Commander of the American Legion and now Assistant Secretary of Defense, was named by Defense Secretary Louis Johnson yesterday to be his special assistant on small business matters.

Quest for Boy And Poison Ends Happily

New Brunswick, N. J., Dec. 22 (AP).—A two-day search to intercept a bottle of poison which had been sold in error as a "train sickness" medicine ended happily today.

A startled Burbank, Calif., mother, Mrs. Chester V. Stalker, learned from friends that the medicine she had given her 10-year-old son, Donald, was a poisonous silver nitrate solution.

But doctors who examined the boy said he appeared to be unharmed.

The pair had been sought between New York and Philadelphia since she walked out of a Philadelphia drug store with what she thought was the "train sickness" medicine for her son.

The druggist phoned police later and said the boy would die if he were fed the drug according to the instructions on the bottle.

The lone clue police had was the druggist's recollection that the woman talked of a train trip from California to New York.. Warnings urging the woman to contact authorities were broadcast in Philadelphia and New York.

But Mrs. Stalker said she learned about the search for her only after a visit to a former schoolmate, Mrs. John K. Quad, whom she had not seen in 22 years.

Two School Stars Put on 5-Year Probation

Two former high school football stars whose quest for excitement landed them at "the door of the penitentiary" yesterday were placed on probation for five years.

The youths are George J. Pappafotis, 19, of 3516 30th st. nw., and John E. Talbert, 19, of 905 Quackenbos st. nw.

They told police that after reading in a newspaper that it was easy to be a burglar in Washington they decided to try it for "excitement." They were arrested after they broke into the home of Policeman John F. Corey of 839 Kennedy st. nw.

Pappafotis received a suspended two to six-year term and Talbert a suspended 18-month to 54-month term in addition to the probation.

Judge Edward A. Tamm of District Court said he was convinced a lecture would be futile. He then added:

"The Court assumes the defendants know they are standing at the penitentiary door. If that door opens and closes on them, the entire course of their lives will be changed in such a manner that it will be difficult for them ever to rectify it."

Addressing Pappafotis, he said the youth's parents were Greek immigrants who worked hard to give their son advantages they never had. Despite this, Judge Tamm said, the defendant had a bad record as a juvenile.

Arlington Man Gets New Trial

Arlington County Court Judge Hugh Reid yesterday granted William H. Green, 1829 N. Cameron st., Arlington, a new trial on gambling charges, after Green's attorney, Benjamin Hedrick, said new evidence had been uncovered in the case. The trial is set for January 12.

Green was given a $100 fine and 30-day suspended jail sentence December 14.

Liquor Permit Renewal Hit

Complaints of noise, profane language and crowds blocking sidewalks were made yesterday in protest to renewal of the alcoholic beverage license of the Harris Restaurant, 1401-03 11th st. nw.

A petition signed by about 50 residents of the neighborhood was submitted to the District Alcoholic Beverage Control Board stating that at about 5:30 a. m. almost every morning a crowd assembles on the corner in front of the restaurant.

"From that time until 7 a. m.," the petition read, "there is yelling, cursing, singing, and some of the most vile, vulgar and profane language is used, making it impossible to sleep."

The restaurant "appears to be the central point from which the persons rotate," the petition said.

The ABC Board continued the hearing to January 3 at 10 a. m. for further scheduled testimony.

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Merry Christmas

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Turkeys
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GREEN BEANS JENKINS FANCY CUT No. 2 can 15c
LIMA BEANS DEL MONTE ALL GREEN EARLY GARDEN 303 can 27c
CORN GOLD DISH—GOLDEN CRUSHED OR WHOLE No. 2 can 17c
PEAS DEL MONTE EARLY GARDEN 2 303 cans 37c

NATION-WIDE GROCERS
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KOUNTY KIST LARGE
Sweet Peas
2 17-oz. cans 27c

WHOLE KERNEL NIBLETS BRAND CORN
12 oz. can 15c

OCEAN SPRAY CRANBERRY SAUCE 2 16-oz. cans 31c
LIBBY'S FRUIT COCKTAIL No. 2½ can 35c
DEL MONTE PINEAPPLE JUICE 46-oz. can 39c
MANN'S SARATOGA POTATO CHIPS 8-oz bag 33c

Christmas Dinner Delights!
LIBBY'S SAUERKRAUT 2 No. 2½ cans 29c
WHITE HOUSE APPLESAUCE 2 303 cans 23c
DUKE'S HOME-MADE MAYONNAISE pt. jar 37c
DEL MONTE HALVES PEACHES YELLOW CLING No. 2½ can 25c
ALL GREEN CUT SPEARS RITTER ASPARAGUS 303 can 25c

MAWER PLACED STUFFED OLIVES 3 oz. bot. 29c
LANG'S SWEET MIXED PICKLES 2 8 oz. jars 25c
LANG'S SOUR MIXED PICKLES qt. jar 25c
RITTER CHILI SAUCE RELISH 12 oz. jar 23c

DEL MONTE
Seedless Raisins 15-oz. pkg. 17c
MOTT'S SWEET Cider ½ gal. 41c gal. 69c
BLUE PIRATE Filberts lb. pkg. 35c
WASHED Brazil Nuts lb. pkg. 39c
CALIFORNIA PAPER SHELL Almonds lb. pkg. 43c
RED BOW Mixed Nuts lb. pkg. 45c
DIAMOND RED STAMP Walnuts lb. pkg. 43c
FUNSTEN PAPER SHELL Pecans lb. pkg. 43c

GREEN GIANT TENDER SWEET PEAS
303 can 19c

WILKINS TEA BAGS
pkg. of 16 18c
pkg. of 50 49c

Don't Forget the Holiday Breakfast
NATION-WIDE COFFEE IN THE RED BAG ALL GRINDS lb. bag 67c
PANCAKE FLOUR AUNT JEMIMA 2 20 oz. pkgs. 33c
KING TABLE SYRUP 1½ lb. bot. 21c
LAKE SHORE HONEY lb. jar 31c
QUAKER OATS QUICK OR REGULAR 20 oz. pkg. 15c
HOT ROLL MIX PILLSBURY'S 14 oz. pkg. 26c
LIBBY'S Tomato Juice Rich in Flavor . . . Rich in Vitamins! 2 No. 2 cans 25c 46-oz. can 27c

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JUICY FLORIDA TANGERINES 176 SIZE The zipper-skin fruit with the extra flavor! doz. 29c
KIDS LOVE 'EM!
RED RIPE SLICING TOMATOES pkg. of 3 or 4 17c
U. S. NO. 1 MAINE POTATOES 10 lbs. 39c
JUICY FLORIDA Oranges Really full of juice! 5 lbs. 28c
WESTERN BOX APPLES FANCY DELICIOUS 3 lbs. 29c
LARGE, CRISP LETTUCE lge. head 15c
EASTERN STAYMAN OR DELICIOUS APPLES 3 lbs. 25c
FOR SLAW CABBAGE 3 lbs 10c
FANCY CRISP CELERY 2 bchs. 25c

Holiday Baking Needs!
Whatever you need for cakes, pastry or breads is here at your Nation-Wide grocer.
MINCEMEAT OLD VIRGINIA RUM FLAVOR 24 oz. jar 33c
COMSTOCK SLICED PIE APPLES 2 No. 2 cans 33c
FLOUR GOLD MEDAL OR PILLSBURY'S BEST 5 lb. bag 49c
FLAKO PIE CRUST MIX 2 9 oz. pkgs. 33c
SWANSDOWN CAKE FLOUR 44 oz. pkg. 39c
GRANULATED CANE SUGAR 5 lb. bag 47c

DEL MONTE Pumpkin 2 No. 2½ cans 27c 2 16 oz. cans 21c
WASHINGTON SELF-RISING FLOUR 5 lb. bag 43c
McCormick Vanilla Extract 2 oz. bot. 35c
Food Colors 4 viol pkg. 21c
SALAD DRESSING 16 oz. jar 31c
POULTRY SEASONING can 9c
GROUND NUTMEG can 17c
BUMBLE BEE LIGHT MEAT TUNA SOLID PACK 7 oz. can 37c
PETER PAN PEANUT BUTTER 12 oz. jar 33c
POMPEIAN Castile Shampoo 12 oz. bot. 49c

Helps for the Holiday Hostess!
LIBBY'S Vienna Sausage 4 oz. can 17c
SAN GIORGIO Macaroni OR SPAGHETTI 2 8 oz. pkgs. 19c
SAN GIORGIO Spaghetti Sauce 10½ oz. can 19c
Nabisco Anniversary Assortment lb. 59c
Sunshine Hydrox Cookies 7½ oz. pkg. 23c
Welch's Grape Juice pt. bot. 24c
Apple Butter OLD VIRGINIA 28 oz. jar 18c
ARMOUR Pantry Shelf Meals
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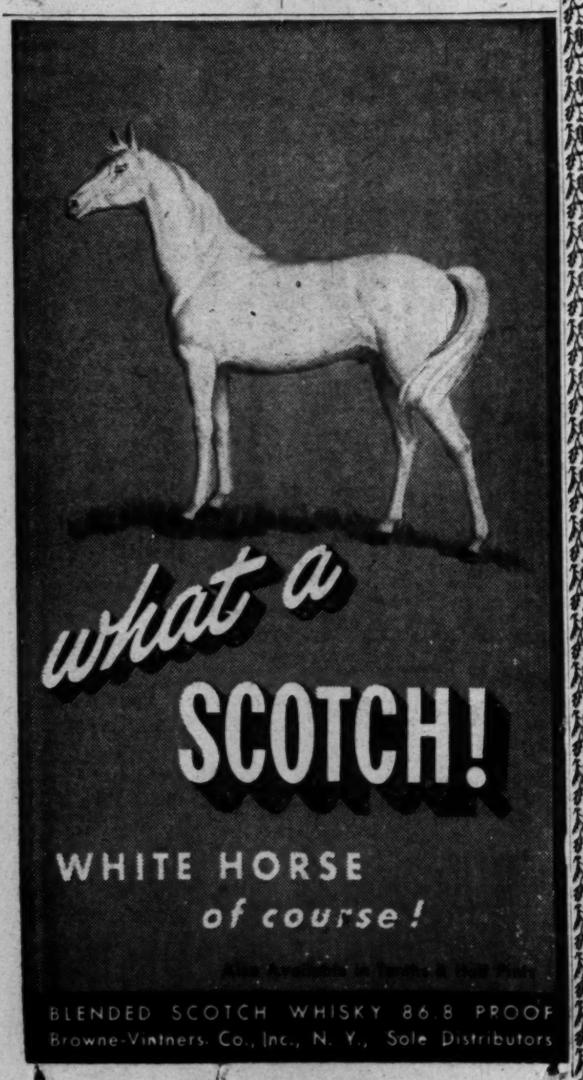

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Excise-Tax Repeal

President Truman is reported to have decided to recommend the repeal of some wartime excise taxes if other means of making up for lost revenue can be devised. Until we know more about the scale of expenditures, it seems useless to indulge in speculation about the fate of the excise taxes. Since it is virtually certain that next year's deficit will rival that of the current year, unless Congress does a better pruning job than there is any reason to expect, it seems premature to discuss the possibility of substantial cuts in excise taxes.

Possibly, reductions in transportation taxes could be justified, regardless of the state of the budget, to relieve the pressure of successive increases in freight and passenger rates that have diverted traffic from railways and added greatly to over-all production costs of shippers. And the tax on oleomargarine, which yields little revenue, ought to be dropped, because it is an unfair and obsolete regulatory device. But we do not think that abolition of excise taxes on luxury goods can be justified so long as the budget remains unbalanced. For abolition would either result in imposition of additional tax burdens, equally oppressive or more so, or else add to the size of a prospective deficit likely to be of formidable proportion.

To be sure, the rapid spread of excise taxation has led to the preemption of taxable sources of revenue at the expense of State and local governments. Some of these excises are extremely high and have unduly restrictive effects on sales of the taxed products. However, there are many other tax reforms, most of which would entail loss of revenue, that are no less imperative than a reform of the erratic Federal excise system. Unfortunately, we cannot afford large reductions in the receipts side of the budget until the expenditures side has been reduced to more manageable proportions.

Mr. Kennan's Trip

On-the-spot surveys of Latin America and Africa by State Department Counselor George Kennan should prove a valuable asset in maintaining a realistic foreign policy toward these areas. Certainly the United States, which epitomizes the aspirations of most colonial peoples, has a deep interest in the evolution of self-government in Africa. Since our security is obviously bound up with Latin America, there is need in that region also for constant review of the effectiveness of American policy. Inasmuch as there is some feeling that these areas have been neglected, Mr. Kennan could scarcely have picked a more productive assignment before he begins his two-year leave.

With respect to Latin America, Mr. Kennan's trip coincides with another salutary development. Two regional conferences have been scheduled for American ambassadors, the first next month at Havana and the second in March at Rio de Janeiro. Between them they will include all this country's top diplomats in Latin America. Assistant Secretary of State Miller will attend both meetings as a part of his extensive visits to the American republics. This plan of regional conferences, already inaugurated elsewhere, should be a great help in evaluating current trends.

Some of these trends in Latin America deserve more attention than they have received. As a practical matter it is necessary to deal with all regimes, whether or not we approve of them. Nonetheless, the significant advances in such things as technical help and provisions for economic development through private capital have not been accompanied by equally effective measures to deter the subversion of constitutional government. It is not enough to rationalize with the assertion that there have been many Latin dictatorships in the past; what we should be aiming at is political stability in which the people have a voice.

Obviously there is no pat formula for discouraging military coups. One thing the United States could do, however, is take the lead in calling for stronger collective measures to marshal the force of hemisphere opinion against the overthrow of representative governments. This would mean using this country's influence in the Organization of American States to insist that it deal with realities instead of platitudes. Although there is reason to believe that communism is no longer gaining, the basic fact is that much of Latin America is in ferment. And if the loyalties of politically awakening peoples are not channeled in the democratic direction, they are likely to go the other way. Perhaps Mr. Kennan and Mr. Miller can come up with some ideas as to how democracy and stability can be promoted simultaneously.

West Vs. East

There are striking points of similarity between President Truman's latest thrust against the aggressors behind the iron curtain and the tirade against capitalistic warmongers that has been unloosed in Moscow in connection with Premier Stalin's seventieth birthday. From both Washington and Moscow came emphatic laudation of peace. Both capitals are nervously concerned lest the peace be disturbed, and each assumes that the threat comes wholly from the other. A stranger to our battered old globe might readily conclude that its peoples were being treated to a gigantic hoax.

After saying that if world opinion could be effectively mobilized there would never be another war, President Truman continued:

> This we cannot do alone. For the earth is deeply divided between free and captive peoples. There is no appeal to the brotherhood of men who live in daily fear of the concentration camp. Until the captive peoples of the world emerge from darkness, they cannot see the hand we hold out in friendship. While they are made to respond to our handclasp with a mailed fist, we have no choice but to stand ready in self-defense.
>
> Much as we prize peace and friendship, we prize freedom more.

On the other side of the iron curtain, the most pertinent statement in the 12-page issue of *Pravda* devoted to Premier Stalin's birthday was an article by Georgi M. Malenkov in which he declared that the Soviet people unreservedly oppose military adventures and support a stable peace. He wrote:

> Comrade Stalin has declared repeatedly with all definiteness that the Soviet Union proceeds from the fact of unavoidable coexistence for a lengthy period of the two systems—socialism and capitalism—and firmly maintains the course of loyal peace-loving relations with all of those states which display a desire for friendly cooperation . . .

The countries which do not accept the USSR's professions of peace at face value, he said, are trying to "cover up their criminal actions in preparation of a new war with slander against the honest policy of peace conducted by the Communists."

If these utterances from Washington and Moscow had been entered in a forensic contest, it is by no means certain that our own government would come out with first honors. What, then, marks the difference between the professions of the Stalinists and the defenders of the free world? It does not appear to be merely a question of sincerity, for the Kremlin is undoubtedly sincere in wanting peace if communism can be extended without war. Certainly the President is sincere in wanting peace and in urging the expansion of freedom. In other words, each system places survival of its way of life above the objective of peace. If war is to be avoided in the long run, therefore, one system must give way to the other. The result is a struggle on the part of each system to make its way of life predominant in other parts of the world.

Nevertheless, there is a vital difference. The West is willing to let the contest be waged in the minds of men. It will not attempt to impose freedom on any country. It will not keep men and women in darkness to prevent them from choosing another way of life. It will not try to spread the gospel of freedom by dictatorship and terror. In other words, the West believes in the settlement of disputes by debate and compromise. Its "aggression" will be only in the ideological sphere, while the aggression of the East begins in the ideological sphere and is quickly followed up by repression, terror, force and dictatorship. From the very nature of the communistic system its expansion leads to violence, revolution and war.

If there were any doubt on this score, another item in the special edition of *Pravda* would seem to remove it. Anastas I. Mikoyan of the Politburo declared that Premier Stalin long ago had developed in detail the tactics and strategy of the Chinese revolution. Here is an unabashed boast that, while professing friendship and peaceful relations with the Chinese Nationalist Government, the Kremlin was plotting to destroy it and set up a Communist regime. In part the statement may have been made to impress Mao Tse-tung, who is now in Moscow, with his obligations to the Kremlin. But in any event it rips an ugly breach in Stalin's assertion of willingness to live and let live. The real difference between the expansion efforts of the rival systems is that the West is trying to push out the borders of freedom and fair dealing by peaceful means, while the East is trying to extend its power by deception, force and terror.

British Oil Curbs

Since the balancing of dollar payments is a major aim of ECA, the United States has no legitimate reason for objecting to the British government's decision to reduce the drain on dollar reserves by cutting purchases of oil and gasoline from American companies. There is, however, good reason for criticizing the British for their failure to consult American officials before announcing their decision. The production and marketing of oil are highly complicated processes involving political as well as economic issues that concern both the United States and Great Britain. Moreover, the exclusion of American oil from Britain's home market might lead to mutually destructive trade wars between American and British companies in other parts of the world.

As the American companies are said to be willing to accept payment in sterling, in order to retain a hold on the British market, a compromise arrangement of this kind might be preferable to an exclusionist policy that creates international ill will and gives rise to charges of discrimination. In any event, the possible and probable consequences of the announced policy should have been thoroughly explored with representatives of the United States Government before any action was taken.

Of course, we have no right to dictate to the British or obstruct their efforts to balance their dollar accounts. But so long as Great Britain remains dependent on American dollar aid it is most unwise for the British government to adopt policies that adversely affect American interests without seeking advice from American officials who have to convince Congress that the aid program is worthy of continued support.

Dual Pricing

The ECA program has been amazingly successful so far as a means of increasing the productivity of western European industry. But if that aid is to continue, the participating countries must convince a skeptical Congress that they are able and willing to consolidate these productive gains by abandoning trade policies that prevent further productive expansion. Dual pricing (that is, maintenance of export prices for fuels and basic materials at higher levels than domestic prices) is one of the obnoxious restrictive practices that Administrator Hoffman has been urging western Europe to eliminate as a means of strengthening its competitive position in world markets. But the British are said to be unwilling to abandon dual pricing in the case of coal, and if they remain obdurate it will be difficult if not impossible to put through this much-needed reform. Of course, the ECA could bring pressure to bear on Great Britain and other participating countries to abandon the widespread practice of dual pricing by making further aid dependent on compliance with a direct order. But such pressure tactics would bring charges of interference in domestic affairs and create doubts as to the wisdom of continuing the program.

Abandonment of dual pricing is admittedly difficult, since it would necessitate either a lowering of export prices that would result in an immediate, even if temporary, loss of earnings from the export trade or else an increase in domestic prices. Lower export prices for British coal, for instance, would reduce the receipts of the nationalized coal industry and sweep away all or most of its profits. On the other hand, an equalizing rise in the domestic price of coal would pinch domestic consumers and create political disaffection. In either case, the Labor government would find itself a target for political attacks.

Nevertheless, from a long-range viewpoint, the dual-pricing system is helping to defeat the ultimate purpose of the ECA program—expansion of foreign trade on a sound competitive basis. All the ECA countries are compelled to rely on external sources of supply to maintain decent living standards. At present they are being helped to maintain those standards with dollars donated by the American people. Eventually—maybe sooner than they think—they will be forced to rely on their own efforts to earn the money with which to pay for the goods they have to import. This means they must find more export outlets for their goods at prices that foreign buyers are willing to pay. That they cannot do unless they abandon trading policies that shrink trade and, as ECA Administrator Hoffman warned the OEEC Council a short time ago, "spell disaster for nations and poverty for peoples."

Soviet Submarines

Admiral Sherman's remarks about the growing strength of the Soviet Navy underscores the report in the new issue of Jane's *Fighting Ships*. Jane's asserts that the Russians are building a fleet of 1000 submarines and that they hope to have 750 in service by the end of 1951. They also supposedly are building three new battleships. Admiral Sherman is more conservative in his figures, but he emphasizes that the outstanding element of American superiority is carrier aviation.

Statistics, of course, give no index of quality, though it is well known that the Russians have taken advantage of German technical advice. Leaving aside the battleships, which may have limited use because of their vulnerability, the prospective Russian underseas fleet is a formidable threat. This is true because many of the methods by which Nazi U-boats were overcome have been rendered obsolete by the schnorkel submarine and the long-range torpedo. As Dr. Vannevar Bush observes in his new book, *Modern Arms And Free Men*, "If we entered a war soon, against a technically and industrially strong enemy, and if that enemy could effectively apply modern devices at sea, we should have the whole job of overcoming the submarine to do over again on a new and unattractive basis."

These facts argue not for a bigger Navy but for a high degree of selectivity in emphasis. Most assuredly the Navy's primary mission is to protect the sea lanes. This does not mean that the Navy must be restricted to submarine hunter-killer groups; for it must be prepared to dispose of surface vessels and to bomb the pens at which enemy submarines are based. But it does illustrate where scientific effort ought to be concentrated. The Navy has kept extremely quiet about antisubmarine warfare as well as its own submarine developments, probably for security reasons. What is important is that those in authority make sure that neither underestimates of the need nor what Dr. Bush calls "the sirens of more spectacular fields" detract from intensive countermeasures against a weapon that has nearly proved fatal in two wars.

Conference

Letters To The Editor

Communications must be addressed to the editor and must carry the complete name and street address of the writer, though pen names will be permitted at the editor's discretion. Letters of less than 200 words will be given preference, and all letters are subject to condensation. No communication can be returned.

"Transit Wages"

Your December 20 editorial on "Transit Wages" was timely, well written and very much to the point.

The Washington public will have to foot the bill. It will be the victim of any higher wages granted to bus drivers and motormen because higher fares must necessarily follow. At present, the fares are extremely high, in fact much too high for the pocketbooks of those who use the buses and streetcars. Still higher fares will be utterly preposterous, bad for the Transit company, bad for the public and in time bad for the company's employes.

The public which will have to foot the bill is in reality the most interested party. But the public was not represented or heard in this wage controversy and arbitration which has resulted in the astounding award just made. There is a general feeling of indignation and a sense of outrage at what has taken place, besides much criticism of the group which passed upon the controversy.

Therefore, let this entire matter be reopened and the subject of wages threshed out before and passed upon by a representative group of high-class and well-known Washingtonians in whom the general public can have confidence. This is a matter which should be taken up without delay by the Board of Trade, the citizens' associations and other civic bodies.

CHARLES TITTMANN.
Washington.

Editor's Note: Three of the five members of the arbitration board represented the public although only one actually lives in Washington. Hearings on the wage increase were open, but no outside representatives of the general public requested to be heard.

A&P Advertising

The Washington Post has rendered a distinct public service by undertaking to explain, in response to the letter of my neighbor, Thomas B. Larson, published on December 15, why it refused recently to publish an answer (submitted as an advertisement by a group of small businessmen) to the full-page howls of outrage which have been emanating from the Great A&P Co. It is to be regretted, however, that the explanation is not as worthy as the sense of public responsibility which prompted it.

Surely the responsibility to present "both sides" of public issues requires that both sides have access to the same eye-catching displays of bold type which full-page advertising allows. Your advertising manager will testify to the reader appeal of such displays, and the recent Gallup Poll on the A&P case demonstrates the effect on public opinion when only one side of a debate on a public issue has access to bold type.

Your explanation that the small businessmen's advertisement was rejected as being possibly libelous is no more reassuring than the explanation given by another paper (and erroneously attributed by Mr. Larson to you) that one advertiser may not disparage another. If the copy rejected by you was identical with the advertisement published in one Washington paper which does not enjoy a substantial part of A&P's advertising business, *The Post* outcautioned Mr. Milquetoast in finding possible grounds for libel in its language.

What has become of *The Post's* demonstrated courage in the cause of the public enlightenment? Or did you independently examine the facts and conclude that the small businessmen (and the Attorney General) were wrong in their characterization of A&P's advertisements as being false and misleading? If so, don't you owe your readers the benefit of your independent examination of the facts (as distinguished from the dose of unrealistic economic theory administered by the Rennies)?

Mr. Larson has unerringly put his finger on one of the fundamental responsibilities of the press to a free society. If the press is to meet its obligations as a free institution it must be fearless in meeting that responsibility. It is recognized, of course, that the advertiser pays the fiddler; readers of *The Post* are entitled to expect, however, that you can supply a more convincing answer to the growing suspicion that he also calls the tune.

JOSEPH. E. McDOWELL
McLean, Va.

Mistaken Identity

There is an error in the reference in your December 18 issue to the picture taken 22 years ago when "Lindy" got the Flying Cross. Mr. "17" is former Secretary of the Navy Curtis D. Wilbur, and not Ray Lyman Wilbur. I knew both gentlemen—both are related to Mrs. Richards and this is Judge Wilbur in a characteristic pose.

LEO J. RICHARDS.
Washington.

Backward Areas Here

Some months ago the writer saw a photograph in the *Christian Science Monitor* of part of a Negro slum area within a quarter of a mile of the Capitol, that magnificent example of what the unsparing use of money can do to comfortably and expansively house those representatives of the great American Nation whose generosity, good will and perfectly legitimate concern for their own future are doing so much for what some American politicians call the "backward areas" of the world. A happier term might be "less fortunate areas."

To the great credit of very many Americans, and some few American politicians, they do not feel particularly condescending toward the rest of the world. But it does cause some slight annoyance to the recipients of their bounty to realize that in Washington there are "backward areas" inhabited by colored folk who are still regarded as being outside that magnificent preambie to the American Constitution: "We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal," etc.

We are still far from realizing and therefore practicing true idealism. But we fail to feel any real sense of obligation to America in view of what both we and America are fast learning, that we are all members one of another, therefore interdependent, and that one single wrong left unrighted must of necessity delay the emergence of all on to that higher plane wherein gifts one to another will not bring with them indignity.

RICHARD SHEPHERD.
Jersey, England.

"New Look" At Russia

The plan for a "new look" at our Russian relations, as outlined by Joseph and Stewart Alsop recently, is a matter of the highest importance. Its origin was attributed to "a number of the leading men" of the general advisory committee of the Atomic Energy Commission. Under the plan this country would attempt to negotiate with the Soviet Union, at a two-power conference, for outlawing atomic weapons, demilitarizing atomic energy, sterilizing atomic stockpiles, modifying provisions for international inspection and for securing a measure of disarmament "sufficient to guarantee western Europe against any sudden aggression."

This would present an immensely attractive program. There are, however, two fatal considerations not discussed by the Alsop brothers. In view of the nonexistence of a world court backed by enforcing powers, such an agreement would be worthless unless both sides could be relied upon to keep faith. The Soviets can by no means be expected to keep faith.

During their blockade of the small area of Berlin, the Russians gave explicit proof of how impossible they could make any program of inspection throughout the vastness of the Russian empire and its satellites, unless the inspectors had the support of an irresistible army.

As to Russian fidelity there are certain facts of which the American people must be fully aware, though they may not have fully mastered their corollaries. These amount to proof that Russian Communist leaders recognize no virtue in fidelity to promises given but only in fidelity to the Communist cause as prescribed by Moscow.

There is every reason to believe that our leaders could have a conference with the Russians, could agree to destroy our atomic weapons, to make no more and to disarm; and that the Russians would make reciprocal promises. There is no doubt that we would keep our promises and that the Russians, running true to form, would disregard theirs. They would use the American promises to persuade all Western countries, now independent and standing under the Soviet menace, that the Americans had sold them down the river; that Europeans should make as good a deal as possible with the Soviets to avoid trouble; and that America had merely been thwarted in a brazen attempt to enslave them in an American economic empire.

In the absence of a world court into which we could hale the Soviet Union, if it dishonored its promises, and there get a decree supported by a world police force, any treaty or steps in that direction would be worse than nothing.

We must learn to face the fact that as long as the Kremlin is ruled by an absolute despotism imbued with the mania that the world must be brought under its sway and that every trick or violence which helps to achieve that goal is not only pardonable but the highest duty of the Communist, and that as long as people behind the "iron curtain" are kept in ignorance of world facts, there can be no peaceful termination of the "cold war" except that of appeasement and our ultimate surrender.

Even an official admission that such a plan is being considered in high American circles would be disastrous. It would show that there are those in this country who may be persuaded to exchange the united future of the free world for a mere temporary respite, meanwhile risking being eventually confronted with a Moscow-dominated Eastern Hemisphere.

Only a radical change of heart in the Kremlin can afford a solution, and of that there is no present indication. We must make up our minds to tighten our belts and stand up to the "cold war" for an unpredictable future. EUGENE W. BURR.
Washington.

Cuts In The Arms Budget

By Marquis Childs

Vital Draft Machinery

THE ISSUE of Navy vs. Army and Air Force under what is laughingly called unification has become so tangled in partisan politics that it is nearly impossible to get any objective picture of the Nation's defense needs. Clouds of controversy continue to boil up and the returning Congress can be expected to fan the quarrel.

It is, however, the sworn duty of men in the uniform of the three services to try to plan the best possible defense that will be accepted by an economy-minded Congress. Perhaps the heaviest burden of responsibility rests on Gen. Omar N. Bradley as chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff and, therefore, arbiter of interservice differences.

These top military planners are not too dismayed by the cuts enforced by a deficit that is expected to reach five billion dollars in the current fiscal year. They regard the economies being pushed by Secretary of Defense Louis Johnson as both inevitable and necessary. Therefore, they face, not with any pleasurable anticipation but at least with equanimity, a cutback from the current 14 billion dollars to 13 billion dollars.

Some careful figuring has been done on the cost of maintaining a 70-group Air Force and a 50-group force. The cost of replacements for 70 groups was found to be prohibitive within the framework of current public spending as determined by the political-economic forces now predominant.

OFTEN, of course, partisans of one cause or another talk as though the military budget could be expanded to infinity. They also ignore the nature of the American economy and the importance in that economy of a vast and continuing flow of consumers' goods.

Calculations on the cost of replacing worn-out planes with new planes for the Navy's air arm have shown the need for further economies. This prospective cut is likely to bring the loudest outcries of pain and rage.

Top military planners are deeply concerned over the possibility that the economy ax, sharpened in this instance by political considerations, may fall on the Selective Service System. Unless Congress acts, the Selective Service law will expire on June 24.

By those eager to let the act die, it will be pointed out that no men have been inducted since last January. This is explained partly by the fact that voluntary enlistments have been sufficient to supply the services with manpower. Selective Service is, of course, an inducement to young men to enlist in the service of their own choosing. Partly the explanation is economy, which has already scaled down the size of the three forces.

But the military planners will argue the need to keep Selective Service in being for two reasons that seem to them vital. First, they contend that to dismantle Selective Service now would be a foolish economy for which the Nation would pay dearly in event of war. It would take from three to five months of precious time to put it together again should war break out.

SECOND, they argue that the psychological effect would be bad—particularly in Europe, where the United States is distributing a billion dollars in armaments to help rebuild shattered western European defenses. Letting the act expire would serve the Communist propaganda line that this country intends to expend the manpower of Europe and conserve our own. While the public may have forgotten, it is well remembered in the Pentagon that a margin of only one vote saved Selective Service in October of 1941, months before the Japs attacked Pearl Harbor.

Even without the unification quarrel and the economy ax, the job of the military planners would be complicated. The emphasis on the atomic bomb as a weapon has been undergoing a rapid shift in the past six months.

While some have concluded that the mass strategic bombing of Russian cities was a fixed part of the war plan, this has not been true. The stress now is on the importance of the bomb as a tactical weapon to be used against massed troops. With the bomb employed tactically, such an operation as the Normandy invasion may never again be possible.

In accord with General Bradley's often expressed conviction—he has listed it as the second most important weapon—greater stress is being put on preparation for psychological warfare. In this connection military planners have taken due note of the widely discussed magazine article by Wallace Carroll, detailing from his broad knowledge of the psychological warfare of World War II a new approach to the potentiality of conflict, cold and/or hot, with the Soviet Union.

Because it is their duty to plan for a possible war, civilians sometimes conclude the generals want war. But if there is any group determined to prevent another holocaust, it is the men who have some idea of the cost of an interminable contest with weapons of total destruction.

Sesqui Slogans

I suggest that radio sponsors should establish a 1950 box-top contest, short-slogan contest and a 50-word-letter contest, "I would like to visit the Freedom Fair (Washington Sesquicentennial in 1950) because," in 50 words or less.

GEORGE DURST,
Jamaica, N. Y.

A Communication

Excise Taxes And Budget Balancing

By Beardsley Ruml

THE WARTIME excise taxes, not counting the receipts from gasoline, alcohol and tobacco, are expected to bring in somewhere between two and two and a half billion dollars during the coming year. This is a lot of money, especially when a deficit in the Federal budget has been officially predicted, and many people who freely concede that these war-time excises are discriminatory, punitive and unfair don't see what can be done about it. They ask "How can the Federal Government give up that amount of revenue? What would the situation be if the war-time excises were repealed? Where else could the Government turn for money?"

These are important questions; and although it isn't necessarily up to the employers and workers who are being injured by these unfair taxes to provide the answers, nevertheless the questions must be answered by somebody if we are to have the whole picture before us.

There are three basic considerations that make the repeal of the wartime excises *without any new taxes or increases in rates* a sound and manageable proposition. Let's see what they are.

THE ESTIMATED loss of between two and two and a half billion dollars is the *gross* loss of tax receipts, not the *net* loss, and it is the *net* loss that counts from the over-all budget point of view.

There are a number of reasons why the net loss of revenue resulting from the repeal of the wartime excises will be much less than the gross loss.

First of all, the gross revenue loss will become spendable income in the hands of taxpayers, and it is only reasonable to expect it to yield about the same average percent in taxes as is true of other spendable income. This figure is about 20 percent and so we recapture between 400 and 500 million dollars of our original gross loss.

Next there is bound to be some increase in employment and profits in many of the affected industries; in some of the affected industries the pickup may be considerable. The question that makes it difficult to estimate how much will be recaptured in taxes on business profits and increased wages of employes is that it's almost impossible to tell how much of the increase is *transfer* from other lines of business and how much of it is really new business activity. Certainly there will be some new business activity and certainly all business will be healthier and be better able to carry the tax load than under present abnormal, uneconomic excise tax burdens.

In the third place, as a result of increased employment, the out payments for unemployment insurance will be reduced, and this factor will be an offset to the gross revenue loss.

If you are inclined to be pessimistic, the least you will estimate from recoveries will be 400 to 500 million. If you are inclined to be optimistic, you will take much larger figures for tax recoveries and you will add something over and beyond because of the sounder business and employment situation that will result.

THE NEXT major factor that affects the budget outlook is the question of expense. We all know that there are irreducible items of expenditures that represent the cost of past wars and the burden of defense. We believe that healthy world reconstruction is a responsibility of ours and is a safeguard for our future as well.

But at the same time we are not satisfied that Federal expenditures are on the most efficient basis and we cannot tolerate waste, particularly when we support it with discriminatory unfair taxation.

We have been assured that the cost of defense can be reduced without lowering the quality of defense. Other measures of reorganization have been suggested in the interests of economy and efficiency. Postponable public works programs should be postponed. And under present conditions, there is no justification for continuing a loss of hundreds of millions of dollars in operating the postoffice services.

Let's get all the savings we can and let's stop spending for local purposes unrelated to national welfare and defense requirements.

THE NEXT place to look for sizable opportunities for tax reduction is in items in the budget that should not be financed by taxes at all, but which should be refunded by bond issues, and which should be paid off over a period of years because of the character of the disbursement in question.

There will always be doubt as to many budget items, and the cautious method of approach is to treat most expenditures as if they really were expenditures.

But the present budget contains two items that are so large and so unusual, that they ought to come out of the budget of expenditures altogether and be financed by bond issues to the banks or to the public, or both.

The first of these items is about 2800 million dollars for refunds to veterans for overpayment of war insurance premiums. The second is an item of 1300 million dollars which will be used to acquire home mortgages guaranteed by Federal instrumentalities. Neither of these items is properly a burden on this year's taxpayers. The second is the acquisition of a guaranteed interest-paying asset. The first is only the refunding of a debt recognized owing to the veterans. Issuance of bonds for this particular purpose does not increase the size of the national debt. This part of the national debt was created when we recognized that we owed the refunds to the veterans. It will not increase the size of the debt to issue bonds to make good on what we already owe to the veterans.

One additional item probably is better classed as a capital item, and that is the 600 million dollars set aside for stockpiling scarce minerals and materials that were exhausted during the war. Savings bonds rather than taxes would be a sounder way to pay for this war damage outlay.

IT MUST BE clear from this analysis that the loss of revenue from the repeal of the wartime excises is much less than might appear on the surface. It is also clear that alternative methods of financing some large budget items eliminate the need for any additional taxation to make up for any net loss repeal of the wartime excises might cause.

The case is clear. The wartime excises should be repealed at once because they are discriminatory and unfair. The revenue problem is not a problem if we will use the same policies of public finance we used during the war to spread out the burden of outlays not part of our peacetime Federal expenditure program.

New York.

GRIN AND BEAR IT — By Lichty

"It's the fault of that automatic gearshift . . . normally I'd still have been clashing and grinding gears trying to get it out of low . . ."

TRUMAN—*From Page 1*

Ike Won't Run, Truman Says

reports that he is dissatisfied with Secretary of Defense Louis Johnson and plans to fire him by March.

He had no comment on reports that Myron C. Taylor is going to resign as his special envoy to the Vatican.

Makes Announcements

Mr. Truman, looking very fit after his sojourn in Key West, started off the news conference by wishing all the reporters a Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year. He said that the vast majority of them had been as kind to him as he deserved and that he appreciated it most highly.

The President then said that he had a couple of announcements to make. One was that he has asked David E. Lilienthal to stay on as chairman of the Atomic Energy Commission until February 15. The other was his selection of Murphy as successor to Clifford as counsel to the President.

Murphy, 40, an administrative assistant at the White House for the last two years, first met Mr. Truman on Capitol Hill. At that time, Murphy was working with the Office of the Legislative Counsel of the Senate, and Mr. Truman was a freshman Senator from Missouri.

Drafted Truman Bills

It became Murphy's task to draft bills and resolutions for Senator Truman, one of them being the resolution that launched the famous Truman Investigating Committee.

In the 1948 campaign, Murphy played a major role in gathering material and preparing speeches for Mr. Truman's give-'em-hell drive for a full, four-year term.

Murphy will take over as White House counsel on February 1, at which time Clifford will leave to open a Washington law office.

Coalition Now Exists

The news conference veered toward politics quickly.

"Mr. President," a reporter asked, "do you favor a coalition of the Republicans and the Dixiecrats?"

Mr. Truman said, amid laughter, that he thought such a coalition already was in existence.

"Mr. President," another asked, "do you think General Eisenhower is a candidate?"

The Chief Executive said emphatically that he did not think so. He went on to add that he and General Eisenhower are on the friendliest of terms and always have been.

Mr. Truman reminded the reporters that he told them in 1948 that Ike was not a candidate, and recalled that they wouldn't believe him. But, he remarked, he was giving them facts.

"Mr. President, couldn't you be on friendly terms if he were to run for President?" a reporter asked.

"Why, certainly," Mr. Truman replied.

"Do you feel you know what is in the General's mind?" he was asked.

Mr. Truman said he thought he did.

"You think he is not a candidate?"

Mr. Truman said that was what he thought. He pointed out that Gen. Eisenhower, now president of Columbia University, had said he was not a candidate. He said Ike's word was good with him—always had been.

"Mr. President," a reporter persisted, "there is another aspect to it. Do you think somebody is trying to make him a candidate?"

Mr. Truman said he wouldn't be surprised. They have been trying to do that, he remarked, ever since Ike got out of the Army.

"Is there any chance of balancing the 1951 fiscal budget?" a reporter inquired.

Mr. Truman said he coudn't answer that. He said he would tell all about it in his budget message to Congress early in January.

His first message to hte new session, he said, would be that on the State of the Union. Then would come his economic report, he said, and finally the budget message.

He said the dates on which the messages would go to Congress would be determined after he had conferred with Senate and House leaders.

The Chief Executive was asked about a report in Jane's Fighting Ships that the Russians are building a big navy with a lot (1000) of submarines. Was the United States taken by surprise, he was asked, and will it affect our defense allocations?

We Were Not Surprised

Mr. Truman said that we were not taken by surprise and that it will have no effect on defense allocations.

"Mr. President," he was asked, "are you optimistic about the economic and business conditions at the year's end?"

He said that, yes, he was. He declined to elaborate, however saying that he would cover the matter thoroughly in his Economic Report to Congress.

The President was asked if he had read the report of the Committee for Economic Development, which recommended changes in the National Security Resources Board and suggested that he add three men to the National Security Council.

Mr. Truman said he hadn't read it, and provoked laughter when he added that he didn't know what they were talking about.

South Still Runs Government

There had been laughter earlier when a reporter asked the President if there hadn't been "a drought down South as far as top-level appointments are concerned."

Mr. Truman broke in to say that if he called the roll he would find that the South is still running the Government.

Charles S. Murphy, who is going to succeed Clark Clifford as White House counsel, was born at Wallace, N. C., August 20, 1909, the son of William Faison and Kate (Westbrook) Murphy.

He got his A. B. degree at Duke University at Durham, N. C., in 1931, and his law degree at the same school in 1934.

Talking to reporters after yesterday's news conference, he recalled how, in 1928, he took a Civil Service examination for the job of Postoffice clerk or carrier. The first vacancy that was available was a job as laborer in the postoffice at Wilmington, N. C., paying $1500 a year.

Murphy took the job and held it for eight months. His tasks included opening parcel post bags and assorting the packages.

He later was transferred to the postoffice at Durham, and he worked there at night while attending Duke University by day.

After he got out of law school, Murphy came to Washington looking for a job. He went to see Justin Miller, who had been dean of the Duke Law School and who by this time was with the Department of Justice. Miller knew of a vacancy in the Office of the Legislative Counsel of the Senate, and arranged an appointment for Murphy.

The North Carolinian got the job in 1934, met freshman Senator Truman the next year, and thus started on his way toward one of the top jobs in the White House.

Murphy is a reticent man who stands 5 feet, 11 inches, has sandy hair that is beginning to disappear on top, and wears spectacles. He says he has no hobbies. Once he started to collect coins, but gave it up.

He and Mrs. Murphy, the former Kate Chestney Graham, have three children, Courtney, 16; Westbrook, 9, and Elizabeth, 1. The family lives at 905 Columbia blvd., Silver Spring, Md.

Murphy is a member of Delta Sigma Phi, Pi Gamma Mu, and the Order of the Coif, the latter an honorary legal fraternity.

Matter Of Fact

By Joseph and Stewart Alsop

The Pygmies Take Over

THE TRUMAN Administration's tendency to lose its able men is rapidly becoming a pathological condition, like a hemorrhage. The secretary of the National Security Council, Sidney Souers, has just announced his resignation. Paul Hoffman and most of the rest of the top ECA staff are likely to have vanished from Washington before summer. Secretary of the Army Gordon Gray is only remaining in his post temporarily. The United States High Commissioner in Germany, John J. McCloy, may go back to the law next autumn.

The foregoing names must be added to the lengthening list of those who have gone already. Presidential Counsel Clark Clifford; the chairman of the Atomic Energy Commission, David Lilienthal; State Department Counselor George Kennan; State Department Ambassador at Large Philip Jessup; the chairman of the defense establishment's Research and Development Board, Dr. Karl Compton—all these have recently shaken the dust of office from their feet, or have publicly declared they would do so shortly.

In these lists, moreover, there is a far-reaching significance that does not immediately appear on the surface. Even in the first Truman Administration, extreme mediocrity, occasionally tempered by political reaction, reigned almost unchallenged on the domestic side of the Administration. The good men who served the Government in those days—and there were a great many of them—were heavily concentrated in the spheres of foreign and defense policy-making.

MORE LATELY, the domestic side of the Administration has been ornamented with a large number of convinced Fair Dealers, although the caliber of the personnel has not been greatly improved. But in the period since the 1948 election, mediocrity has crept over the whole sphere of foreign and defense policy-making like a nasty infection, with certain inflamed patches of downright incompetence and self-serving.

The names listed above, of those who have gone or are going, give a very sharp emphasis to this point. For the past two years, the two conspicuously able members of the President's personal staff have been Souers and Clifford. Now Souers has followed Clifford out of the Government. It is almost impossible to calculate the consequences of the loss of Souers, who served as Truman's personal liaison man in the foreign and defense fields, where the President most needs help.

Informed observers have always expected the eventual retirement of Paul Hoffman (who may go even before the spring if the ECA appropriation is sharply cut, either by the President or by Congress).

Hoffman can be, and most probably will be, replaced by W. Averell Harriman. Harriman's transfer here will leave a major post unfilled in Europe. Meanwhile, the simultaneous departure of most of the ECA's higher staff, which is also on the cards, will tend to cripple this whole vital agency in the final term of its perations.

Averell Harriman is also being mentioned as the replacement of David Lilienthal at the AEC, as are Ambassador to London Lewis Douglas and the chairman of the AEC's Military Liaison Committee, Robert LeBaron. Like Harriman, Lewis Douglas is almost irreplaceable. In short, the most promising suggested replacements for Lilienthal are men who already hold important posts, just as Paul Nitze, who is to succeed George Kennan at the head of the State Department planning staff, was also doing a big job before his recent elevation.

MORE AND more good men leave. Where it is absolutely necessary to name an official who commands some public respect, the diminishing stock of good men still remaining in the public service is drawn upon to close the gaps. The net loss is never repaired. Sometimes the gaps are not closed at all, as seems possible in the case of the vacancy at the Research and Development Board.

Almost from the beginning of his first Administration, President Truman has complained of his difficulties in this respect. It has always been one of his favorite themes, that good men would not come into the Government any longer. But it is notable that in the first Truman years, this difficulty was limited to the domestic side of the Administration. The loss of quality among the foreign and defense policy-makers is a recent phenomenon.

There are, of course, many different explanations for individual cases. Some public servants are driven into private life by the pressure of personal debts, like Clark Clifford or John J. McCloy when he left the defense establishment. Others, like Paul Hoffman, never intended to serve more than a limited time.

The over-all truth is, however, that mediocrity begets mediocrity. The first raters are now leaving the sphere of defense and foreign policy-making because this sphere once set apart, has lately been added to the empire of mediocrity. It is easy to understand why all these men go. What is not easy to understand, however, is how the Government of the United States is to be successfully carried on, when only the cronies and the second raters remain on the job.

POLICY—*From Page 1*

Foreign Policy Divides GOP

cord with Senator Vandenberg's position—I thought he stated the case precisely."

He said "the jam we're in in the Far East" proves the need of a bipartisan understanding covering our course of action there.

"Things wouldn't be in such a jangle in China if the Administration had kept us correctly informed and applied the bipartisan rule."

Watkins, who helped lead the fight on ratification of the North Atlantic Pact, did not directly criticize Vandenberg but said he thought bipartisan foreign policy is pretty much "out of date."

"Never Authorized Vandenberg"

"It would be all right if we were really taken in as full partners," Watkins said. "But who are the Republicans who are to represent us in formulation of such a policy?

"We have never authorized Senator Vandenberg to represent us, and he would be the last to say we had."

Watkins said the two-party system can't function "unless we of the opposition party debate the issues thoroughly on the floor. The time for a water's edge stand is after the decision has been reached. I opposed the North Atlantic Pact, but now that it's the law of the land I support it."

Ives countered that it was "going too far for anyone to imply bipartisan foreign policy means simply 'Me too'."

"There are some things all decent persons can agree are fundamentally right, regardless of party," said the New York Republican. "Is it 'Me too' to be for the Ten Commandments and the Constitution of the United States?"

Agree on Aid Cuts

Both Ives and Watkins agreed with Vandenberg on two points: (1) that 1950 foreign aid appropriations should be sharply reduced and (2) that the Communist regime in China doesn't qualify for recognition.

Watkins said he is "glad Senator Vandenberg is converted to cuts in foreign aid—I fought for more reductions last year."

The Utah Republican said he is opposed to recognition of Communist China "regardless of whether it meets the two conditions Senator Vandenberg made."

"Recognition would give communism a boost the world over," said Watkins. "It would contradict everything else we are trying to do."

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SESQUI—*From Page 1*

3-Dimension Films at Fair

Lake side of the Fair area but actually will be underground with an open plaza and fountains overhead. Between the two theaters, also underground, will be the Fair's administrative offices.

At the same time the Sesqui announced appointment of Herman Warner Williams, jr., director of the Corcoran Gallery of Art, as coordinator of art exhibits.

Art exhibits are scheduled at both the Corcoran and the National Gallery of Art. Additional exhibits are planned by the Commission of Fine Arts and the National Capital Park and Planning Commission.

Williams said the Corcoran show, for which $100,000 has been allocated, has been tentatively entitled "American Processional," a pictorial history of the United States. Williams will leave January 12 for England and France to search for important pictorial documents for the show. His staff already has canvassed the United States, Canada and Mexico.

The President's Calling List

President Truman yesterday had the following White House appointments:

10 a. m.—Cabinet.

12:15 p. m.—Prof. Eugene Kormend of Notre Dame, Fred W. Ramsey, and others, of Church World Service.

12:30—George V. Allen, Ambassador to Yugoslavia.

3—Frank Pace, budget director.

4—Press and radio conference.

4:30—President receives members of White House staff for Christmas greeting.

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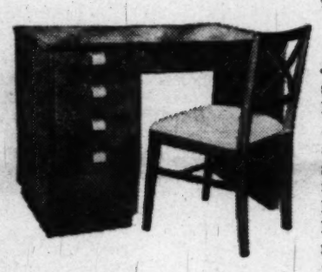

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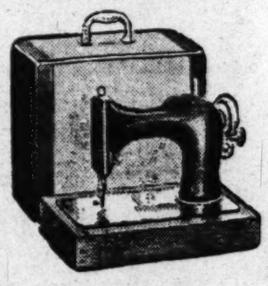

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CSC Now Planning How to Cut Red Tape In Discharge Rules

How to take the red tape and delay out of suspending and firing Federal workers for cause has become a No. 1 project of the Civil Service Commission.

The commission has decided to inform Congress in a forthcoming report that (1) suspension and firing procedures must be streamlined; (2) that agency heads should be given greater authority in these fields, and (3) that employe appeal rights should be restricted.

But the details of the commission's program are lacking. The commission wants to protect the employe as well as to give the agency head broader authority to either suspend or fire him for good reason. How to accomplish both objectives is the problem.

It's a good bet that the commission will renew its recommendation to Congress that agency heads be given absolute authority to suspend any employe for cause up to 30 days without being required to give the employe a written statement of the charges against him.

Also, it will oppose the Hoover Commission suggestion that any fired employe be given the right to appeal to the Civil Service Commission. Veterans now have that right. One of the commissioners would like to see veterans' appeals curtailed.

WAR CLAIMS: This new commission has only 53 employes. With $300,000 for salaries, it will have a staff of only 60 or 70. A WCC official says he has enough applicants to staff the Agriculture Department. The agency has offices in the Tariff Commission.

Gilbert J. Fortier has resigned as administrative assistant to Senator Ellender (D. La.). He's a good bet to be appointed Collector of Customs for the New Orleans District . . . **Penn T. Kimball**, a former newspaperman and magazine editor, has been appointed executive secretary to Senator William Benton (D., Conn.). **Catherine M. Flynn** will be Benton's executive assistant. She has worked with several Connecticut Senators. **John G. Will** has resigned as general counsel of Interior's Bureau of Reclamation. He'll be appointed secretary of the Upper Colorado River Commission, with offices at Grand Junction, Colo. . . . **Dr. Richard U. Ratcliff** of the University of Wisconsin has been appointed to the $15,000 job as research director for the Housing & Home Finance Agency. He formerly served in several housing agencies.

HOLIDAYS: Thousands of Federal workers are taking time off during the Christmas holidays. Those lucky enough to get it, will be off the next 10 days and they will be charged with only four days of annual leave. They'll leave after work today and report back Tuesday, January 3.

In contrast, the Budget Bureau staff will be working during the day and half of the night during the holiday season. Christmas and New Year's will be work days for many of its staff. With the budget to go to Congress in early January, this is the agency's busy season.

ARMY: It has 14,000 vacant civilian jobs—all of them vacated by the painless process of employe turnover. The Army has no plans to fill any of them. In fact, the personnel freeze remains on and no civilian job can be filled unless an excellent case can be made for it.

In addition, the Army has dropped 41,000 civilian workers since Defense Secretary Johnson's August cutback order. If another reduction is ordered, the Army will be in a position where it can meet all or part of it through the simple process of abolishing vacant jobs.

LONGEVITY: The Civil Service Commission yesterday gave its formal approval to the new rules to govern longevity pay raises. The regulations will be announced publicly next week.

Employes in the first 10 General Schedule and in all Crafts, Protective and Custodial grades will be eligible for the above-the-maximum-grade pay boosts. About 25,000 employes are expected to get the raises immediately, retroactive to October 30.

Meantime, the Post Office Department is planning again to ask the Comptroller General to clarify several points in his recent decision on longevity pay raises for postal workers.

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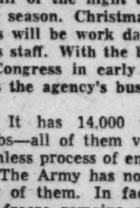

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St. Elizabeths Could Free 200 Patients To Nursing

Dr. Overholser Says Many at His Hospital Would Go If Outside Facilities Existed

At least 200 inmates of St. Elizabeths Hospital could leave the institution if suitable outside nursing care facilities were provided.

Dr. Winfred Overholser, superintendent of the mental hospital, revealed yesterday that between 200 and 300 hospital patients are "essentially now, at most, nursing problems."

Overholser said that a large number of these persons are old people who could be cared for at "another kind of institution" at considerable savings to the taxpayers.

The group of nursing patients include those who are "not 100 percent mentally," but are "reasonably quiet and orderly."

Respond to Treatment

The hospital superintendent pointed out that "better than half as many" hospital patients as are received each year respond to treatment and may be discharged.

"With old people," he said, "we are dealing with a degenerative process. The outlook for complete recovery is not as good as in younger persons. On the other hand, many of them do improve when they get adequate diet and nursing care. Their mental disturbance is conditioned pretty much by their physical disabilities."

Overholser said the nursing home that he feels is needed is for persons of this type who could leave the hospital if they could receive a "certain amount of supervision."

"Sometimes," he said, "their families are not able to give that. Since these patients have not technically recovered, the hospital is in no position to push them out. We are not going to do that with any such patient, unless suitable plans have been made for him."

By Court Commitment

He pointed out that the bulk of the patients at St. Elizabeths come to the hospital by court commitment. "We have nothing to do with them prior to their coming. Of course we go over them, examine and treat them."

Dr. Overholser denied reports that "sane people" are kept as hospital patients.

"These people are not railroaded. All patients we have, have been properly committed. They are there because they are so mentally ill at the time they are sent to us that they could not be cared for outside a hospital.

"Some of the older patients especially," he said, "have shown improvement from the acute episode that led to their commitment. But they are still technically mentally ill and yet not so actively psychotic that they need to be cared for in a place heavily manned by nurses and doctors."

Divorce Denied

Judge Delays Decision in Custody Case

Judge Jennings Bailey of District Court yesterday took under advisement the suit for custody of the two sons of Mr. and Mrs. Michael M. Kearney, Philip, 6, and Michael, 9.

At the same time the jurist dismissed a divorce action brought by Kearney, a $7000-a-year lawyer against his estranged wife, Wandajune, an interviewer for the Federal Security Agency. She did not ask for a divorce but merely for custody and maintenance.

The case closed after Mrs. Kearney denied her husband's charges she deserted him in 1944 and never attempted to even see her two boys until March, 1949.

She also denied she told them that Santa Claus was mythical and the product of "liars." She said that she wanted to be with her children.

"Would you be willing to give up your job and go back to live with your husband?" asked her attorney, Herman Tocker.

"Yes, sir," she said, "If he would support me and my family. Yes, sir."

Kearney's attorney, Godfrey L. Munter, contended that the wife was more interested in a career than in her family.

Judge Bailey said:

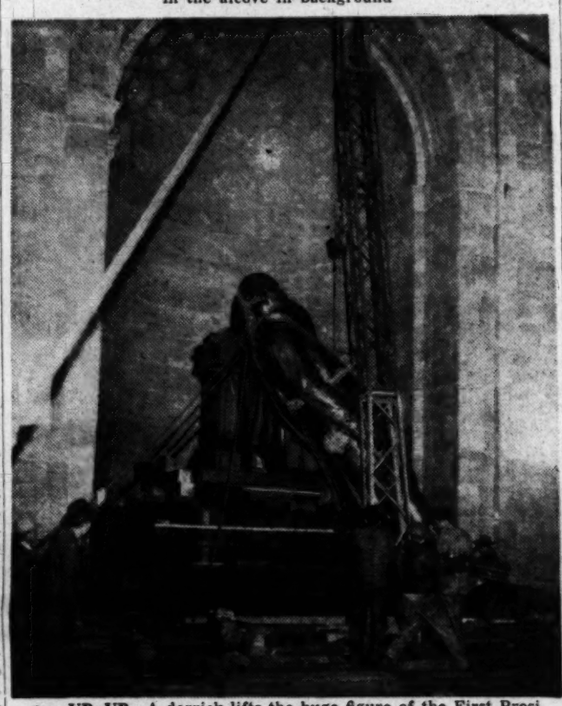
"I'm not satisfied that she (Mrs. Kearney) has shown the degree of interest a mother should have. It is difficult to find that both of the parties have been entirely truthful.

"He (Kearney) had the children but he doesn't keep them at home. He pays someone else to care for them. I do not deny that they are well taken care of, but they do not have the association of a parent.

"I'll not decide the case today. I want to think this over. I'm going to decide what I hope is best for the children."

Masons' Pride . . .

1, UP, UP, UP—The eight-ton bronze statue of George Washington, which has lain prone in the Masonic Memorial in Alexandria, Va., for two weeks while 12 workmen prepared it for ascension, is readied for raising into position on the pedestal in the alcove in background



2, UP, UP—A derrick lifts the huge figure of the First President, sculptured by Bryant Baker and cast in New York at a cost of $90,000. The entire project consists of chair, statue, base and pedestal. A factory representative will bolt it together Tuesday

By Jack Lartz—The Washington Post

3, UP—The G. W. statue, subscribed to by Masons from all over the Nation, stands on its own two feet. Late last night it was finally put in place. The statue will be dedicated by President Harry S. Truman February 22

Woman Seized in $3000 Theft Of Jewels From Ex-Employer

A 39-year-old domestic was arrested here yesterday in the theft of $3000 in jewelry from her former employer in Prince Georges County on Wednesday.

The woman, Mrs. Maude Brewster, formerly of Tallahassee, Fla., was charged with grand larceny in Hyattsville and held in jail there in lieu of $1000 bond after waiving extradition from the District. She is slated to face preliminary hearing in Upper Marlboro Police Court today at 10 a. m.

Mrs. Brewster was arrested by District Detective Sergts. Charles Smith and J. G. Williams, accompanied by Prince Georges Detectives Wilson J. Purdy and Vincent Free at a downtown hotel shortly before noon.

With her was her 6-year-old daughter, Laura.

Police said they were asked by Prince Georges authorities to make a check of hotels here after Mrs. Fred Schinmann of TB, Md., reported the jewelry missing a few hours after she had discharged Mrs. Brewster Wednesday morning.

The detectives said the woman admitted the theft when she was arrested and took them to a nearby pawnbrokers exchange where the missing jewels had been pawned.

According to the detectives they recovered jewels which included a $2000 diamond ring and part of the $155 which she said she had received for them. They said Mrs. Brewster told them she had used part of the money to buy a bicycle for her daughter's Christmas present.

The little girl was taken to Hyattsville with her mother and placed in custody of the Prince Georges County welfare department pending disposition of the case.

Detectives said Mrs. Brewster told them she had been employed on the Schinmann farm for about three months and previously had worked at a tea room near Alexandria.

2 Merchants Victimized In Holdups

Woman Operator Of Apparel Shop Robbed of $335; Toy Gunman Foiled

Two armed robberies and two pocketbook snatchings netted thieves more than $600 last night, while an attempted holdup fizzled when the intended victim recognized a toy gun.

Police reported a brazen early-evening stickup in which a lone bandit, brandishing a revolver, took a pocketbook containing $245 in cash and another $90 in checks from a Christmas shopper within shouting distance of her home.

Miss Berta Colen, owner of a women's apparel shop by the same name at 1365 Connecticut ave., told police she was returning from a shopping tour when a stranger with a gun emerged from the bushes just west of the P st. nw. bridge, and said "Let me have it!" grabbing her purse.

Usually Takes Taxi

She told police she usually took a taxi home because the area was "so desolate," but with the mild weather and the Christmas atmosphere, she decided to walk. She lives at the Carlyn Apartments, with an entrance at 2500 P st. nw.

In an 8:30 p. m. holdup, another solo bandit, face masked with a white handkerchief, took about $150 from the cash register of Newfeld's Market, 243 K st. nw., its proprietor, George Newfeld, told police.

The stickup man, who flourished a blue-steel revolver, had little effect upon an absorbed gentleman who was talking to his girl on the store's telephone, police said. He continued his conversation during the robbery, and a few minutes later walked out apparently unaware of the action.

Spotted Phony Gun

A stickup man, answering the same general description, was foiled in an attempt to rob Phil's Market, 2633 Sherman ave. nw. Isador Feldman, who had been ordered to lie on the floor, spotted the gun as a phony and grabbed a meat cleaver. The intruder beat a hasty retreat.

In a pocketbook snatching, Mrs. Alva H. Carter, 1919 3d st. nw., a Veterans Administration employe, told police a pocketbook containing $75, including her paycheck was taken near the 300 block of Rhode Island ave. nw. She had just finished a day of Christmas shopping, and a meal at the Elks Home, 310 Rhode Island ave., when robbed, she said.

Ten dollars in cash and a check for $58.45 were in a purse grabbed from Miss Leary Jordan, 1815 17th st. nw., a short distance from her home, police said. She is manager of the Lerner Shop in Silver Spring.

Radiological Unit Established by Health Service

Establishment of a radiological health branch in Public Health Service was announced last night by John D. Thurston, acting Federal Security Administrator.

The new unit is set up to correlate radiological health activities within PHS, develop a training program in radiological health for service officers and other public health workers, and to become a Federal source and clearing house on radiological health information.

Need for the unit results from increased use of radioactive materials and radiation-producing machines, with their potential hazards to health, it was explained. It is under the direction of Dr. Edwin G. Williams, PHS medical director.

Two Washington Students Given Scholarships

Two Washington men are among six Georgetown University graduate students named to study abroad on Federal scholarships provided for under the Fulbright Act.

The Washington recipients are Joseph Skehan of 2634 Garfield st. nw., who will study in Belgium, and Philip Di Tomasso, 4827 Reservoir rd. nw., who will study in Italy.

Others named are: Romuald P. Holubowicz of Cudahy, Wis.; Henry Freund, Larchmont, N. Y.; Mathilde Goodwin, Shadowlawn, El Dorado, Ark., and Patrick J. Tavernia, Spokane, Wash.

Police Boys' Club Yule Party Today

A Christmas party for 300 to 500 boys of the Twelfth Precinct Metropolitan Police Boys Club will begin at 6:30 p. m. today at the club headquarters, Lincoln rd. and Randolph pl. ne.

Gifts of candy, fruit and toys have been arranged, a door prize will be given and an entertainment program is planned. Merchants of the area have cooperated with police officers and civilian workers at the club to prepare for the party. Pvt. V. R. Couperthwaite is the officer assigned to liaison with the club and his brother, Pvt. W. J. Couperthwaite, is school safety patrol officer in the precinct.

Rescued 9

Police Hold Fire Hero For Arson

The Washington Post
SERGT. JOHN B. HOLMES

A week ago, Sergt. John Brian Holmes, 23, of the British army, was a fire hero here.

Yesterday he was in a cell charged with being an arsonist.

Police and fire authorities said he admitted setting fire to two automobiles early yesterday. Then, they said, he admitted setting the fire in an apartment at 2040 S st. nw., where he later roused nine women and children occupants in the midst of smoke and flame, and was credited with heroism.

Police, after Holmes was arraigned before United States Commissioner C. S. Lawrence on arson charges, credited "war nerves" as the source of his alleged offenses. He was ordered held for grand jury action.

"I took rather a lot," he said.

Attached to the British army here, Holmes was arrested early yesterday by First Precinct Pvts. William H. Sampson and Carmen Londo. They said they found two automobiles afire in an alley behind 1326 New York ave. nw.

Saw Holmes Hurrying Off

Sampson told Commissioner Lawrence he and Lonzo noticed Holmes hurrying from the alley as they entered it on a routine check. After Sampson called for fire apparatus, Holmes returned. The policeman said Holmes denied having been in the alley before. When Sampson told Holmes he would be held for questioning, he quoted Holmes as replying:

"No, not again. I was just held the other day for a fire uptown. Didn't you read about it? I saved some people. I want to see some newspaper reporters."

Later, Holmes admitted setting the fires in both autos, and apologized to the car operators for having set the blazes, they testified.

Paul V. Milde, 1514 Parkview dr., Falls Church, estimated about $1500 damage was done to his 1949 Ford. About $400 of this was to a bass fiddle left in the car. Edward E. Weeks, 1437 K st. se., estimated damage to his 1941 Ford at $500.

Admitted S Street Fire

Third Deputy Fire Marshal Earl J. Atzrott testified Holmes admitted setting the fire at 2040 S st. nw. Taken there, police said, he told how he did it.

Detective Sergt. Roy C. Schwab said Holmes declared he was "mentally depressed." Holmes did not testify. When reporters asked Holmes if setting the fires relieved his depression, he shrugged, "no."

Atzrott estimated damage at the S st. apartment at $4000 to the building, $800 to contents.

Holmes has been a cook for Lieut. Gen. Sir William Morgan, commanding the British army staff here. He lives on Ranleigh pl., McLean, Va. He said he served in Palestine, Egypt and the Sudan, was wounded in the leg, and had been with ground forces six years.

Two Men Burned In Wire Accident

Two men were burned seriously in a boom crane-high tension wire accident shortly before 1 p. m. yesterday.

They are Thomas L. McAllister, 55, of 5115 Sherrier pl. nw., and James Owens, 22, of 1823 Massachusetts ave. se. Both are in Casualty Hospital with electrical burns on hands and feet. McAllister was reported in fair condition, but Owens was termed critical.

Both were employes of L. P. Steuart & Co. They were working at a new building of the National Brick Co., Terra Cotta, D. C. They were removing a bucket from a boom-crane cable, police said, when the cable swung loose and struck some 3000-volt wires. These were knocked down and threshed about, police said, striking both men. The two were preparing to lower an oil tank into the new structure.

Girl, 14, Burned In Yule Tree Blaze

The first Christmas tree fire of the season reported by the Fire Department took place yesterday morning in the apartment of Mr. and Mrs. Greg Wood, 1314 Irving st. nw.

Firemen said the family decorated the tree Wednesday night but did not turn on the lights. Yesterday, Mollie Wood, 14, turned them on. Firemen said there was apparently a short circuit in the wiring and this set the tree afire. It was burned, along with presents underneath, and some other damage was done in the room.

Mollie suffered slight burns to her right hand and was treated by firemen.

Airliner Veered, Then Stalled, Probers Told

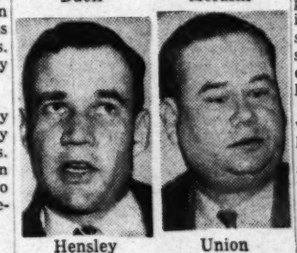
Sharp Right Turn Just Before Crash, Viewed on Radar, Still Unexplained

The airliner that plunged into the Potomac December 12, killing six persons, interrupted a "normal, routine" instrument landing without explanation seconds before the crash by "veering sharply" to the right.

Two National Airport radar operators told an investigation board they watched the plane approach normally from nine miles to one mile on their radarscopes, and then disappear.

Two survivors also told Civil Aeronautics Board investigators the flight from Norfolk to Washington was routine until just before the crash, when the Capital airliner emerged from heavy fog, tried desperately to gain altitude, stalled, and fell off into the river.

Buell Moraski



Hensley Union

The Washington Post

The two men operating the ground control approach radar at National Airport were Robert B. Union, 1857 Linda la., Falls Church, Va., and Joseph J. Moraski, 2003 N 13th st., Arlington, Va. Union was also in the tower at the time of the Eastern airliner crash November 1, when 55 were killed.

Two Survivors Testify

The survivors who testified yesterday are Joseph W. Buell, Capital flight attendant, and passenger Robert V. Hensley, a seaman on the cruiser USS Worcester.

Although "Capital 500" was making an instrument landing at the time of the crash, its approach was "monitored" by GCA. In a monitored approach, GCA operators give a pilot unacknowledged transmissions of his position—right or left—above or below the glide path.

Moraski made six transmissions to Capital 500, the flight designation. All were mechanically recorded because of bad weather conditions.

"Capital 500, Washington GCA monitoring your approach on 109.9 megacycles, 4½ miles from touchdown, 200 feet to the right of course. Your glide is good." This was the first transmission, a few minutes before the crash.

"Capital 500, 3 miles from touchdown, 50 feet to the right of course. Your glide is good."

"Capital 500, 2 miles from the end of runway 36. Your course is good. You are 25 feet high on the glide path."

"Capital 500. Mile and a half from touchdown. Your course is good. Your glide is good."

Only seconds later, and a few seconds before the crash, Moraski transmitted this urgent message:

Capital 500. Drifting way off to the right. You're 1500 feet to the right of course and do not have you in elevation scope."

In his statement to the panel, Moraski said the plane then made a perceptible turn to the left and disappeared completely, never to reappear on the screen.

Pilots Killed Instantly

It is not known whether Pilot William J. Davis, 45, of 209 Belleview blvd., Alexandria, Va., received any of Moraski's transmissions. Both he and Copilot L. L. Porter were killed instantly.

Union testified he monitored the approach from nine miles out until the plane reached "the outer marker," when the approach was turned over to Moraski. He said the approach was "normal" until "the plane veered sharply to the right, but even then the glide was still normal."

Both Buell and Hensley said the plane made a slow left turn—apparently after the sharp right turn which neither man mentioned—came out of the fog, immediately started to climb with a roar of engines, then "fell off" as the engines "spluttered" and the plane "shuddered" and plunged into the shallow part of the Potomac.

Buell, who lives at 5711 3d pl. nw., described the flight from Norfolk to Washington as "routine, according to regulations."

"I was seated in seat 25, the last one in the rear on the right. Safety belts were fastened. The pilot told me we were holding over the airport and we would be doing so indefinitely. Then we started to

See CRASH, Page B-9, Column 1.

Out of Hospital

Bridoux Feels Blameless For Crash

Erich Rios Bridoux, pale but almost jaunty on leaving Alexandria Hospital after 52 days, said yesterday he feels "no responsibility whatever" for the November 1 air crash in which 55 were killed.

The 29-year-old Bolivian fighter pilot, whose P-38 collided with an Eastern Air Lines DC-4 near National Airport, also said he will fly again "the day after the doctors release me, when my physical condition permits."

"I love to fly, and have loved it ever since I was 6 years old," he told reporters at his first press conference.

To Give Complete Story

He would not discuss the crash, except to say he feels he has "no responsibility whatever" for it. After "giving the Civil Aeronautics Board the complete story first," he will hold another press conference.

Bridoux sat erectly in the hospital waiting room, his body braced in a cast. He was dressed in a sport jacket, slacks, brown suede shoes and a tan camel's hair overcoat, and held a beaver fedora in his hand.

He spoke hesitatingly in English, which he said was difficult because he lost all his teeth in the collision.

At one point he turned to Guillermo Guttierez, Bolivian Ambassador to the Pan-American Union and the pilot's close friend. Bridoux asked him to interpret some of his comments.

Expresses Gratitude

"He wants to say how grateful he is to all the people at the hospital, who have treated him so well," Guttierez said.

"And he wants to make it quite clear that he is most grateful to all the American people who sent him cards while he was sick."

Bridoux said he "regrets very much, that due to this very unfortunate accident . . . many American families won't have as happy a Christmas as I would like."

Before he supplements a 40-page written account already given the CAB, Bridoux will spend his time convalescing in a Washington hotel. He will not go home for Christmas to La Paz, where he has a wife and family.

He Flattened Pal But Court Decides 'Twas Just Lesson

A friendly demonstration of the boxing styles of two prizefighters landed George Vakas of 639 Maryland ave. sw., in Municipal Court and out again yesterday.

Vakas was charged in a warrant sworn to by Police Lieut. Todd O. Thoman with assaulting James S. Kidwell, 927 6th st. sw., on the sidewalk October 7 in front of 511 7th st. sw. Thoman saw fisticuffs and placed the charge.

Kidwell took the stand in behalf of Vakas. He said he and Vakas were discussing the boxing of Rocky Graziano and Tony Zale and were demonstrating when Kidwell was hit and slipped to the street.

The verdict was not guilty.

Scholarship Fund Set Up by Elks

Eleven $300 college scholarships to boys and girls with distinguished records for leadership are to be awarded by the Grand—Lodge Activities Committee, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks.

The announcement was made here by Francis B. Myers, Exalted Ruler of Washington Lodge No. 15, who said the awards will be a part of a program to strengthen democracy by developing leadership among America's youth. The scholarships will be financed by a grant from the Elks National Foundation.

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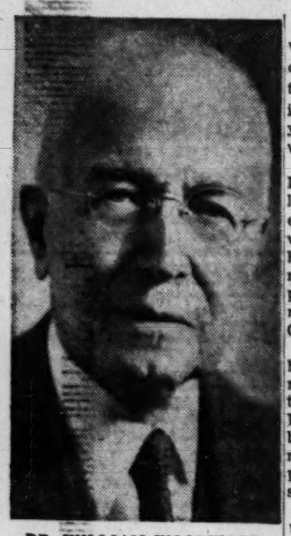

DR. WILLIAM WOODWARD

Dr. William Creighton Woodward, former District Health Officer for 24 years and later legislative director of the American Medical Association, died at 12:50 p. m. yesterday at Doctor's Hospital. He was 82 years old.

In failing health the past year, Dr. Woodward entered the hospital last Saturday. Death was attributed to a heart condition. Dr. Woodward was also an attorney and became one of the country's foremost authorities on medical jurisprudence. He received both his medical and law degrees from Georgetown University.

Born in the District, he began his career in medicine in 1892 as resident physician at the old Central Dispensary and Emergency Hospital. A year later he served briefly as District coroner and for many years taught medical jurisprudence at all the local medical schools.

In 1894 Dr. Woodward was appointed Health Officer for the District. Then only 27 years old, he held this top city government health post until 1918.

He left Washington to become health commissioner for the City of Boston, where he served until 1922.

From the public health field he moved into the field closest to his heart—medical law—as it affects both the medical profession and the mentally ill.

Dr. Woodward went directly from his Boston position to become director of the Bureau of Legal Medicine and Legislation of the American Medical Association. He remained the AMA spokesman, with headquarters in Chicago, until 1939.

Highlight of Dr. Woodward's AMA career was his leadership of the association's vigorous court fight to end operation of Group Health Association, Inc.

The Government retaliated with a criminal conspiracy indictment on 1939 accusing the AMA, District Medical Society and other medical associations with restraining trade in violation of the Sherman Anti-trust Act.

During World War I, he was a member of the General Medical Board, Council of National Defense.

Dr. Woodward received his medical degree from Georgetown in 1889, and his law degree only a year later.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Ray Elliott Woodward; two daughters, Mrs. Mildred W. Jones, Drexel Hill, Pa., and Miss Elinor Woodward of the Connecticut ave. address; a son, Paul G. Woodward, Parkersburg, W. Va., and a sister, Mrs. Mary W. Pitts, Cleveland.

Services will be held at 10 a. m. Saturday at Gawler's Chapel, 1756 Pennsylvania ave., nw.

Naiditch Dies; Early Leader Of Zionists

Paris, Dec. 22 (AP).—Isaac Naiditch, 81, prominent industrialist and a founder of the Zionist movement in the United States, died here today.

Naiditch, who had been closely connected with the Zionist movement since 1889, was one of the founders and a director of the Palestine Foundation Fund. From 1913 to 1927 he served as a member of the executive committee of the World Zionist Organization.

Born in Pinsk, Russia, he made and lost one fortune in Russia and another in France, before he came to the United States in 1942.

He first became known in Russia when he developed a technique of making alcohol from potatoes. Wiped out in the revolution, he went to France in 1920 and amassed another fortune in sugar, which he lost when the Nazis took over.

Starting out in the United States with $2500, he purchased an alcohol plant in Massachusetts and became a major producer of industrial alcohol during the war years.

Mrs. Jessie R. Greene

St. Albans, Vt., Dec. 22 (AP).—Mrs. Jessie Richardson Greene, 76, widow of United States Senator Frank L. Greene of Vermont, died today at the home of her daughter, after a brief illness.

Her husband, who was shot in 1924 by a bootlegger's stray bullet in Washington, died in 1930.

J. S. Rudolph Dies; Retired Tailor Here

Funeral services for Jacob Selman Rudolph, 65, a long-time Washington resident, who died Wednesday, will be held at 11 a. m. today at Danzansky's funeral home, 3501 14th st. nw. Burial will be in Ohev Sholom Cemetery.

Mr. Rudolph died at the Washington Sanitarium after a long illness. He lived at 3700 Jenifer st. nw. Born in Poland, he came here at an early age and later established a tailoring business at 1926 17th st. nw., from which he retired five years ago. He fought in the Spanish-American War.

Mr. Rudolph leaves his wife, Mrs. Mollie K. Rudolph; a daughter, Mrs. Samuel Gordon of Silver Spring, Md., and three brothers, Louis, Baltimore; Samuel and Robert, Washington, and three sisters, Miss Leah Rudolph and Mrs. Herman Friedman, Washington, and Mrs. Kate Kirstein, Virginia Beach, Va.

Deaths Reported

The following deaths were reported yesterday by the Bureau of Vital Statistics of the District Health Department. (Figure in parentheses is date of death.)

Helena Hunnewell, 86, 6423 9th st. nw. (20).
Julia Mills, 86, 1320 T st. se. (20).
Elgin Morell, 85, 4504 Roxbury dr., Bethesda, Md. (20).
Maude Varnell, 77, 6325 Central ave., Seat Pleasant, Md. (20).
Lena Benner, 77, 3407 Ordway st. nw. (20).
Emma Perrigo, 71, 1361 Irving st. nw. (19).
Flora Bennett, 70, 1343 Taylor st. nw. (21).
Robert Bell, 68, 5707 39th ave., Hyattsville, Md. (20).
Louise Boyd, 65, 1307 Euclid st. nw. (20).
Francis Sheehy, 54, 210 E st. nw. (19).
Jo Ann Mousseau, 7 months, 3008 Earl pl. ne. (20).
Garnett Mayhew, jr., 4 months, 3620 13th st. nw. (21).
Infant Malone, 55 minutes, 4120 Southern ave. se.
John Banks, 72, 82 Quincy pl. nw. (17).
Mary Miller, 65, 701 Que st. nw. (19).
Calvin Hicks, 61, 1318 Kenyon st. nw. (19).
Norman Ferguson, 53, 514 M st. se. (19).
Effie Ramseur, 47, Gastonia, N. C. (21).
Bertha Holman, 43, 113 Rye st. nw. (16).
Oliver Hardgrove, 43, 1019 2d st. ne. (18).
William Melvin, 26, 2028 14th st. nw. (17).
Jerome Freeland, 4 months, 6408 Jay st., Cedar Heights, Md. (19).

In Memoriam

A booklet of 101 "In Memoriam" tributes suitable for publication is now available without charge. Remembrances for all members of the family and for friends are included. The booklet may be obtained at the front counter in the Post building, by telephoning your request, or by writing to the Washington Post Classified Advertising Department, Washington 4, D. C.

C. J. Clifford, 24 Years With U. S., Dies at 57

Charles J. Clifford, 55, of 406 Silver Spring ave., Silver Spring, Md., a mathematician for the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey for 24 years, died Wednesday at George Washington University Hospital. He had been ill six months.

A native of Denver, Colo., Mr. Clifford came to Washington in 1925 and had resided in Silver Spring since 1927. He was a graduate of the University of Colorado and a World War I veteran.

He was a past commander of Cissel Saxon Post 41, American Legion. He was a member of the Washington Academy of Science, Society for the Advancement of Science, Polar Society, American Geophysical Society and the International Geophysical Union. He was also the subject of an article in the American Men of Science publication.

A requiem mass will be sung at 9:45 a. m. Tuesday at St. Michael's Catholic Church, Silver Spring. Burial will be in Arlington Cemetery.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Lena Marie Clifford; two sons, Charles N. Clifford of the Silver Spring address, and Eugene J. Clifford, 908 Hudson ave., Takoma Park, Md.; his mother, Mrs. Caroline Clifford, Detroit; a sister and two brothers.

H. C. Hopson, Builder of Fallen Public Utility Empire, Dies

Greenwich, Conn., Dec. 22 (AP).—Howard C. Hopson, who pyramided a $300,000 investment into a billion-dollar utility empire which collapsed, died yesterday at the age of 67.

1935
Mr. Hopson

The stock market crash of 1929 exposed the flimsy structure of his financial empire and started a series of congressional investigations. Finally, in January, 1940, the huge company he built—the Associated Gas & Electric Co.—filed a petition for receivership under the bankruptcy laws.

Mail fraud charges sent Hopson to jail. Since shortly after his release from prison in 1944 he has been living at a sanitarium here, Brooklea Farms.

The Nation's leading accountants and lawyers were stumped by the labyrinthine maneuvers by which Hopson parlayed the $300,000 investment into the huge Associated Gas & Electric System.

When the house that Hopson built tumbled on his bald head and pudgy shoulders, thousands of stockholders lost millions of dollars in its crash.

Congressional committees conducted searching investigations. In large measure his shuffling of stocks and bonds was responsible for enactment of the Public Utilities Holding Company Act and other regulatory legislation.

In 1939 the Securities and Exchange Commission dealt the last blow to the paper empire by ordering big subsidiaries in the Hopson system to stop pouring dividends upward through the holding company chain.

Born the son of a nursery salesman in Fort Atkinson, Wis., on May 2, 1882, Hopson sold newspapers, worked in a brickyard and edited a country weekly. He worked his way through the University of Wisconsin and took a master's degree at George Washington University, Washington, D. C., where he was admitted to the bar.

His wife died about 25 years ago. Surviving are three sisters, Mrs. Daniel Starch of Scarsdale, N. Y.; Mrs. S. Murray Jones of Boston, and Miss Pearl Hopson of Del Ray, Fla.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at the Waterman Chapel, Commonwealth ave., Boston, Mass. Burial will be in Mount Auburn Cemetery, Cambridge, Mass.

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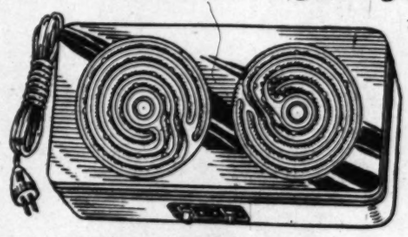
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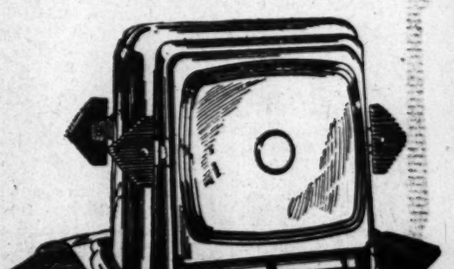
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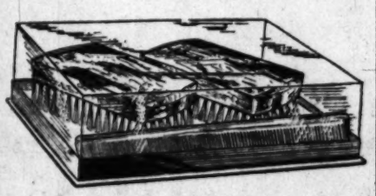
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A wonderful mother, woman and aid.
One who was better, God never made;
A wonderful worker, so loyal and true,
One in a million—that, mother, was you.
Just in your judgment, always right;
Honest and liberal, ever upright;
Loved by your friends and all whom you knew.
Our wonderful mother—that mother was you.
DAD AND FOUR SONS.

Died

AEBERSOLD, ANNA B. On Thursday, December 22, 1949, at Prince Georges Hospital, Cheverly, Md., ANNA B. AEBERSOLD of 2700 Kenilworth ave., Bladensburg, Md., beloved wife of Gottfried J. Aebersold and mother of Mrs. Joseph F. Whitney. She also is survived by three grandchildren, Martin G. White, Arthur F. and Godfrey E. Aebersold. Remains resting at Gasch's Funeral Home, Hyattsville, Md. Services at St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Bladensburg, Md., on Saturday, December 24, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

ANADALE, GENEVIEVE LACKEY. On Tuesday, December 20, 1949, at her residence, 3005 1st ave., Silver Spring, Md., GENEVIEVE LACKEY ANADALE, beloved wife of the late Alfred H. Anadale, mother of Mrs. Gladys Baggett, Helene Trundle, Genevieve Barrett and John A. Anadale. Funeral from her late residence on Friday, December 23, at 8:30 a. m. Requiem mass at St. John's Church, Forest Glen, Md., at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

ARMSTRONG, MARY L. On Tuesday, December 20, 1949, MARY L. ARMSTRONG of 628 Gallatin st. nw., beloved mother of Charles E. and Paul R. Armstrong, sister of Fred G. Rupertus of Chicago, Ill. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. Funeral Home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Friday, December 23, at 2 p. m. Interment Prospect Hill Cemetery.

BURKHARDT, LEAH P. On Thursday, December 22, 1949, at the Louise Home, 2145 Decatur pl. nw., MISS LEAH P. BURKHARDT, daughter of the late Dr. William Davidson and Nannie Summers Burkhardt. Funeral services will be held at the Louise Home on Friday, December 23, at 3 p. m. Interment private.

CAFFES, DENA N. (KAFIRAKIS). On Tuesday, December 20, 1949, DENA N. (KAFIRAKIS) CAFFES of 1315 Clifton st. nw., wife of James P. Caffes, mother of Miss Georgia and Peter J. Caffes, and sister-in-law of George Caffes. Prayers at Chambers Funeral Home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., on Friday, December 23, at 1 p. m. Services at St. Sophia Greek Orthodox Church, 8th and L sts. nw., at 2 p. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

CLIFFORD, CHARLES J. On Wednesday, December 21, 1949, at George Washington Hospital, CHARLES J. CLIFFORD of 406 Silver Spring ave., Silver Spring, Md., beloved husband of Lena Marie Clifford and father of Charles N. Clifford of Silver Spring, Md.; Eugene J. Clifford of Takoma Park, Md.; son of Mrs. Caroline Clifford of Detroit, Mich., and brother of Joseph M. Clifford, Detroit, Mich., and William Garrison of Denver, Colo. Mr. Clifford rests at the Warner E. Pumphrey Funeral Home, 8434 Georgia ave., Silver Spring, Md., where prayers will be said on Tuesday, December 27, at 9:30 a. m., thence to St. Michael's Catholic Church, where mass will be offered for the repose of his soul. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

CONLEY, EDWARD C. On Wednesday, December 21, 1949, EDWARD C. CONLEY, the beloved son of Edith McCauley Conley and the late Martin S. Conley and brother of Mrs. Patricia A. Green and Maureen K. Conley. Funeral from the W. K. Huntemann Funeral Home, 5732 Georgia ave., nw., on Saturday, December 24, at 8:30 a. m. Requiem mass at the Church of the Nativity, 6005 13th st. nw., at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery.

CONLEY, EDWARD C. The members of the Holy Name Society of the Church of the Nativity will meet at the Huntemann Funeral Home, 5732 Georgia ave., on Friday, December 23, 1949, at 8:30 p. m., for recitation of prayers for deceased Brother EDWARD C. CONLEY.
GERARD C. HASKE, President.
REV. SYLVESTER M. HOFFMAN, Spiritual Director.

DAWSON, AUBREY. Suddenly, on Thursday, December 22, 1949, at his residence, 4157 Alabama ave. se., AUBREY DAWSON, beloved husband of Catherine C. Dawson, father of Audrey E. Dawson, brother of William, Jasper and Harry and Beulah Howard. Friends may call at the Robert A. Matlingly Funeral Home, 131 11th st. se., where services will be held on Saturday, December 24, at 11 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Washington National Cemetery.

FLANDERS, MYRON HENRY. On Wednesday, December 21, 1949, MYRON HENRY FLANDERS of 1634 Ontario pl. nw., husband of Eleanor S. Flanders and father of Eleanor, Frances and Lois Flanders. Services at Chambers Funeral Home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., on Friday, December 23, at 9:15 a. m. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

Died

GOURLEY, ISABEL COSTIGAN. On Wednesday, December 21, 1949, at Casualty Hospital, ISABEL COSTIGAN GOURLEY, sister of Harry V. Costigan of Philadelphia. Friends may call at Gawler's Chapel, 1756 Pennsylvania ave. nw., where services will be held on Friday, December 23, at 2 p. m. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

HAYDEN, GEORGE H., SR. On Thursday, December 22, 1949, at his residence, 19 E. Myrtle st., Alexandria, Va., GEORGE H. HAYDEN, Sr., husband of Lavinia Hayden, father of George H. Hayden, jr., Washington, D. C.; Marshall F. Hayden, Alexandria; Mrs. Henry K. Browne and Mrs. Thomas E. Henderson. Funeral services on Saturday, December 24, at 2:30 p. m., at the B. Wheatley Funeral Home, Alexandria, Va. Interment Bethel Cemetery.

HOFMANN, ANNIE MARIE. On Tuesday, December 20, 1949, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Al Johnson, 8909 Rhode Island ave., Berwyn, Md., ANNIE MARIE HOFMANN, beloved wife of the late Ferdinand Hofmann. She also is survived by three sons, Ferdinand, John C. and Carl W. Hofmann. Remains resting at Gasch's Funeral Home, Hyattsville, Md., where services will be held on Friday, December 23, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

JONES, IRVING FRANKLIN. On Tuesday, December 20, 1949, at his home, 3629 21st ave., N. Arlington, Va., IRVING FRANKLIN JONES, husband of the late Lula B. Jones. He is survived by two sons, J. Bennett Jones of Arlington, Va., and Glenn M. Jones of New Orleans, La., and four daughters, Miss Marjorie F. Jones of Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Marian J. Butler of Arlington, Va.; Mrs. Lelia C. J. Palmer and Miss Ada L. Jones of Secane, Pa., and four grandsons and four granddaughters; also four brothers, Roger Jones, Washington, D. C.; Robert and Garland Jones of Colonial Beach, Va., and Marvin W. Jones of Fredericksburg, Va. Funeral services at his residence at 11 a. m. Friday, December 23. Burial at Shiloh, King George County, Va.

JONES, IRVING FRANKLIN. On Tuesday, December 20, 1949, at his home, 3629 North 21st ave., Arlington, Va., IRVING FRANKLIN JONES, husband of the late Lula B. Jones and father of Miss Marjorie F. Jones, Mrs. Lelia C. Palmer, Mrs. Marian J. Butler, Miss Ada L. Jones, J. Bennett Jones and Glenn M. Jones. Remains resting at his late residence, where funeral services will be held on Friday, December 23, at 11 a. m. Interment Shiloh, King George County, Va.

LEE, CHARLOTTE WHITE. On Thursday, December 22, 1949, at her residence, CHARLOTTE WHITE LEE of 1783 Kilbourne pl. nw., beloved wife of the late William Canfield Lee and mother of Andrew and Laura Lee and sister of Josephine, Lora and Edward White. Remains resting at the S. H. Hines Co. Funeral Home, 2901 14th st. nw. Services, private, on Saturday, December 24, at 11 a. m. Interment, private, Cedar Hill Cemetery. Please omit flowers.

MALONE, WILHELMINA. On Wednesday, December 21, 1949, at Arlington Hospital, WILHELMINA MALONE of McLean, Va., beloved wife of Edward N. Malone, sister of Fred, Robert and Charles J. Schultz, Mrs. Christine Shipman, Mrs. Violet Shaw, Mrs. Lula Harding and Mrs. Lillian Reigle. Remains resting at the Ives Funeral Home, 2847 Wilson blvd., Arlington, Va., until 1 p. m. Saturday, December 24; thence to St. John's Episcopal Church, McLean, Va., where funeral services will be held at 2 p. m. Interment Lewinsville Cemetery.

MARCHANT, GRACE TRUMAN. On Thursday, December 22, 1949, at Arlington Hospital, GRACE TRUMAN MARCHANT of 3817 North Fairfax dr., Arlington, Va., beloved wife of Ruith V. Marchant and mother of Emerson V., Thomas Edward and Joseph H. Marchant, and Mrs. Ethel Schesmoes and sister of John Scarborough. Remains resting at the Ives Funeral Home, 2847 Wilson blvd., Arlington, Va., where funeral services will be held Saturday, December 24, at 11 a. m. Interment National Memorial Park.

MAYHEW, GARNETT W., JR. On Wednesday, December 21, 1949, at Children's Hospital, GARNETT W. MAYHEW, JR., beloved son of Virginia D. and Garnett W. Mayhew, sr. Remains resting at the Colonial Funeral Home of Robert A. Pumphrey, Rockville, Md., where services will be held Friday, December 23, at 2 p. m. Interment Forest Oak Cemetery, Gaithersburg.

MERAT, ISMAIL. On Sunday, December 18, 1949, at Georgetown University Hospital, ISMAIL MERAT of 3700 Mass. ave. nw., beloved husband of Radjihe Merat. Remains resting at the Bethesda-Chevy Chase Funeral Home of Robert A. Pumphrey, Bethesda, Md., where funeral services will be held on Friday, December 23, at 11 a. m. Interment in Iran.

MOSS, WAYNE ARCH. Suddenly, on Thursday, December 22, 1949, at Suburban Hospital, WAYNE ARCH MOSS of 2504 Lindell st., Wheaton, Md., beloved son of Roberta C. and Archie H. Moss. Remains resting at the Bethesda-Chevy Chase Funeral Home of Robert A. Pumphrey, Bethesda, Md., where services will be held on Saturday, December 24, at 2:30 p. m. Interment Rockville Union Cemetery.

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PLUGGE, AUSTIN H. On Wednesday, December 21, 1949, at Garfield Hospital, AUSTIN H. PLUGGE of 1310 13th st. nw., brother of Camel H., Frederick W., George S., Gordon A., Norman A. and Wilburt M. Plugge. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. Funeral Home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Saturday, December 24, at 10 a. m. Interment Rock Creek Cemetery.

QUINN, MARJORIE ANN. Suddenly, on Thursday, December 22, 1949, MARJORIE ANN QUINN of 1103 Alabama ave. se., the beloved infant daughter of Edward J. and Dorothy Burgan Quinn. Funeral from the James T. Ryan Funeral Home, 317 Penn. ave. se., on Saturday, December 24, at 8:30 a. m. The votive mass of the angels will be offered at the Shrine of the Sacred Heart at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

ROSENBERG, NATHAN. Suddenly, on Wednesday, December 21, 1949, at New York, N. Y., NATHAN ROSENBERG of 4209 16th st. nw., son of Louis and Hannah Rosenberg and brother of Morris, Bildman, Milton Rosenberg, Mrs. Maurice Protas and Mrs. S. Arthur Linde. Funeral services at the Sidney Danzansky & Son Funeral Home, 3501 14th st. nw., on Friday, December 23, at 1 p. m. Interment Adas Israel Cemetery.

SHAHINIAN, GREGORY. On Wednesday, December 21, 1949, at his residence, 2402 Pennsylvania ave. nw., GREGORY SHAHINIAN. He was a United States Treasury Department employe. Funeral services and interment will be held at Richmond, Va. Arrangements by Hysong's Funeral Home.

SULLIVAN, MISS MARY M. On Tuesday, December 20, 1949, at the Washington Sanitarium and Hospital, MISS MARY M. SULLIVAN of 9106 Fairview rd., Silver Spring, Md., sister of Mrs. Ellen Horan and the late Mrs. Julia F. Bland. Miss Sullivan rests at the Warner E. Pumphrey Funeral Home, 8434 Georgia ave., Silver Spring, Md., where prayers will be said on Friday, December 23, at 8:45 a. m., thence to St. Michael's Catholic Church, where mass will be offered for the repose of her soul at 9 a. m. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

WOODWARD, WILLIAM CREIGHTON. On Thursday, December 22, 1949, at Doctors Hospital, WILLIAM CREIGHTON WOODWARD, 2701 Cortez pl. nw., husband of Ray Elliott Woodward and father of Paul G. Woodward of Parkersburg, W. Va.; Mildred W. Jones of Drexel Hill, Pa., and Elinor Woodward of Washington, D. C. Memorial services at Gawler's Chapel, 1756 Penna. ave. nw., on Saturday, December 24, at 10 a. m. It is sincerely requested that all flowers be omitted.

YOUNG, BARBARA. On Wednesday, December 21, 1949, at her residence, 37 Gallatin st. nw., BARBARA YOUNG, beloved mother of Mrs. Maude Keyes Muir, John R. and Karl A. Young and Mrs. Adelle Bennett, sister of Thomas Vass of Scotland. Prayers at 11 a. m. at the S. H. Hines Co. Funeral Home, 2901 14th st. nw. Services at Little Church of Fort Lincoln on Saturday, December 24, at 11:30 a. m. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

YOUNG, BARBARA. On Wednesday, December 21, 1949, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Maude Keyes Muir, BARBARA YOUNG, 87, native of Scotland, beloved mother of Mrs. Maude Keyes Muir of Washington, D. C.; John R. Young of Silver Spring, Md.; Karl Young of Mount Rainier, Md., and Della Bennett of Shelbourne, Vt. Funeral from the Hines Funeral Home on Saturday, December 24, at 11 a. m. Services at Fort Lincoln Chapel.

YOUNG, LIEUT. COMDR. ADDIE. Special communication of the New Jerusalem Lodge, No. 9, F.A.A.M. will be held at 10 a. m. Friday, December 23, 1949, for the purpose of attending the funeral of Brother ADDIE YOUNG, late a member of Western Star Lodge No. 91, Rutherfordton, N. C.
JOSEPH E. AIKEN, Master.

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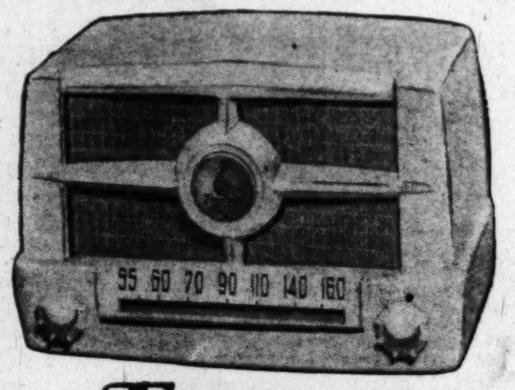

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Jachym Buys Into Nats, Will Take Active Part

This Morning

With Shirley Povich

SO, AFTER thirty years, Clark Griffith has a new partner. The Richardsons, silent if not exactly negative forces in the operations of the Washington club despite their 39 percent holdings, have moved out and an articulate young man from Jamestown, N. Y., named John James Jachym moves in, suddenly.

In fact, it was so sudden that Griffith until five days ago had no idea he was getting a new partner, when Jachym walked into his Griffith Stadium office with his attorney and respectfully announced he had the Richardson shares and was in business with Mr. Griffith.

Povich

Ever since, and thus far, they've been getting along splendidly. "You are the boss, Mr. Griffith, and I want to assure you my complete cooperation," were among Jachym's first words. The supposition is that he will have more to say later, however.

It's a new experience for Griffith after thirty years of voting the Richardson stock as he might vote his wife's. He's in business now with a man with a baseball background, unlike the late Billy Richardson, his original partner, and then the late George Richardson and in recent years young William Richardson.

FROM GRIFFITH'S viewpoint, never had there been a more ideal partnership than with the Richardsons. They didn't question his stewardship of the club's affairs, and were content to take down their profits, leaving all matters of policy to the man who had brought the worth of their shares from the $15 original value to $70 per share.

Never was there any clash of opinion between Griffith and the Richardsons—Griffith's policies always prevailed. If there ever was anything close to a falling-out, it occurred only last week, when Griffith suddenly realized the Richardson estate had sold out without offering him prior option on their holdings.

"We always had an understanding, I thought, that they would sell me the shares if I matched the highest bid," said Griffith. "Well, I did that, but they didn't sell to me. I don't understand it. It wouldn't have happened if either Billy or George Richardson had been alive."

But his pique at the Richardson executors doesn't embrace his new partner, declared Griffith. "Mr. Jachym certainly was entitled to buy and I welcome him into the club sincerely," he said.

WHAT EFFECTS the shift in stock will have on the officership of the club will not be known until the annual stockholders' meeting on January 3, said Griffith. "We'll take it up then," he said. "There may be some changes."

One thing is certain. Jachym is not content to be an absentee owner, or inactive in the stripe of the Richardsons. He is moving to Washington, he says, and hopes "to be able to help Mr. Griffith." The belief is that he will move into the office of treasurer formerly held by William Richardson. If so, the tight little officership group of the Griffiths and Richardsons will at last be shattered.

Other reports are that Jachym will also get a vice presidency out of his purchase. He turned down an offer to buy into the St. Louis Browns while negotiating for the Washington shares as the top member of his seven-man syndicate. He doesn't want control, he says, and is content to be Griffith's junior partner.

Actually, Griffith himself is not a controlling stockholder. He and Billy Richardson bought 79 4/10 of the Washington club in 1919. Since then Griffith has increased his own holdings to 42½ percent, but there never has been any question of his status as the controlling stockholder.

THROUGH THE YEARS, Griffith felt no compelling need to buy up sufficient shares to give him 51 percent. Available shares are in the hands of his longtime cronies in Washington who are pledged to support him on every issue that might arise. They have offered him those assurances down through the years and actual control could have been his at any time for an outlay of less than $100,000.

Nor is there any idea by Griffith that he will sell out to Jachym or any other group. "I've made it clear many times, that my holdings will pass on to my family," said Griffith yesterday. "They've all been brought up in baseball, and I never had any other idea but what they would carry on for me in years to come."

He was saying, too, that there may be a break with recent tradition and no dividends be declared at the next stockholders' meeting in January. "We took a loss of $270,000 in operating our farm system last season, and that was a big blow," he said. In New Partner Jachym, he has a man well-schooled in farm systems. That could be Jachym's first job.

Bullets Beat Caps, 86-82, After Two Extra Periods

Special to The Washington Post.

Baltimore, Dec. 22—The slumping Washington Caps dropped their third in a row tonight, losing to the Baltimore Bullets, 86-82, in two overtime periods.

The defeat left the Caps only one game ahead of the fourth-place Bullets in the National Basketball Association's Eastern Division.

Player-Coach Bob Feerick missed a chance to clinch a 74-73 victory for the Caps when he fumbled a free throw four seconds before the end of the regulation game.

Feerick's miss forced the game into overtime and it took a last second basket by Dick O'Keefe to give the Caps life in the first extra five-minute session. O'Keefe stole the ball from Tommy Byrnes and deposited a basket to knot the count at 77-77 as the first overtime period ended.

Walter Budko and Tommy Byrnes did the major shot-making in the deciding five minutes in the nip-and-tuck struggle.

The regulation contest ended, 73-all, and the first overtime, 77 to 77.

Bones McKinney put the Caps ahead, 78-77, as the second extra period began but Budko potted a set and Byrnes and Joe Dolhon added free throws for 81-78.

Church Gilmur swished a hook to slice it down to 81-80 but Byrnes fed Budko for 83-80 and the latter also scored a foul goal.

Washington then muffed several chances (Reiser missed a layup) and Byrnes clinched it with another basket.

Wash'n.	G	FG	FP	P	B'timore	G	FG	FP	P
N'ander,f	0	0	0	0	Budko,f...	6	6	3	18
McK'ney,f	8	3	5	20	Push,f...	2	4	5	8
Nichols,c.	6	2	0	14	Towery,f.	5	2	5	12
Halbert,g	0	0	2	0	S'zman,f.	1	1	1	3
Gilmur,g.	3	4	4	10	S'owski,c	7	3	1	17
Reiser,g.	3	2	4	8	Byrnes,g.	4	2	1	10
Scolari,g.	5	2	4	12	Y'nette,g.	0	2	1	2
F'rick,g.	2	5	2	9	Dolhon,g.	6	4	4	16
O'Keefe,g	4	1	1	9	F'baum,g.	0	0	1	0
Totals	31	20	22	82	Totals	31	24	24	86

Half-time score—Baltimore, 34; Washington, 34. Free throws missed: Washington—McKinney (2), Nichols (3), Feerick (2), Gilmur (3). Baltimore—Push, Schatzman (2), Sadowski, Byrnes (3), Dolhon (2). Attendance—1900.

Lavelli Plays Accordion, Also Scores 26 Points

Boston, Dec. 22 (AP).—The Boston Celtics came from behind tonight to defeat the Minneapolis Lakers, 87-69, in a National Basketball Association contest before 5406 fans at Boston Garden.

Led by the brilliant shooting of Tony Lavelli and Dermie O'Connell, Boston put on a late second-period drive that lifted them from a 15-point deficit.

Levelli, who played his accordion between periods, led in the scoring with 26 points. Dermie O'Connell scored 19.

Boston	G	FG	FP	P	M'apolis	G	FG	FP	P
Kaftan,f.	6	2	1	4	Pollard,f.	5	1	2	11
Sh'non,f.	5	2	1	12	Ferrin,f..	6	0	2	12
H'rberg,f	0	0	0	0	Haros,c...	0	0	3	0
Lavelli,f	9	8	2	26	H'rison,f.	1	0	3	2
O'C'nell,f	9	1	0	19	Mikan,c..	7	7	6	21
Kinney,c.	2	5	5	9	Carlson,c.	0	0	0	0
E'glund,c	1	1	5	3	M'lsson,c.	3	0	0	9
Doll,g...	1	1	0	3	Hassett,g.	2	0	2	4
Walker,g.	0	0	1	0	Schaefer,g	2	3	1	7
Leede,g..	3	1	1	7	Martin,g..	1	1	2	3
S'inoff,g.	1	0	2	2					
Totals	32	23	17	87	Totals	27	15	27	69

Score at half—Minneapolis, 37; Boston, 34. Free throws missed: Boston—Kinney (3), Lavelli (3), O'Connell, Shannon. Minneapolis—Mikkelson (3), Mikan (3), Hassett.

St. John's Stems Alumni Rally, Wins

St. John's withstood a fourth-period rally by the old grads and defeated the Alumni, 48-47, last night in the school gym, 1225 Vermont ave.

Trailing by 28, Don Kokes, Johnny Hughes and Tommy Gletner led a surge that nearly overtook the undergrads, unbeaten now in five starts. Jack Daly, Bob McLindon and Bill Mattingly provided most of St. John's offense.

St. John's	G	FG	FP	P	Alumni	G	FG	FP	P
M'tinsly,f	4	1	2	9	Hughes,f.	2	2	2	7
G'inger,f	0	0	1	0	Tolson,f..	0	0	3	0
McM'on,f	1	3	1	5	Fuchs,f..	0	0	1	0
Poulos,f.	0	0	0	0	Wallace,f.	0	0	0	0
Gaskins,f	1	0	1	2	Fannon,c.	2	5	4	9
M'D'ald,c	2	0	1	4	Ford,c...	1	0	0	2
Waters,c.	0	0	0	0	Kokes,g..	5	1	2	11
McL'don,g	3	4	4	10	Gletner,g	6	6	2	18
Daly,g...	6	0	2	12	Slik,c...	0	0	0	0
Gorman,g	0	0	0	0	Cardaci,g.	1	0	0	2
Reese,g..	3	0	4	6	S'wicki,g.	0	0	1	0
					Joyce,g...	1	0	1	4
Totals	20	8	17	48	Totals	18	11	16	47

Score at half, 28-16. St. John's. Officials—Love and Lund.

In Coast League

Kiner Wallops Social Homer, Has Date With Liz Taylor

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 22 (U.P.).—Teen-aged actress Elizabeth Taylor went to a film premiere with baseball slugger Ralph Kiner and the gossips today were linking their names romantically.

But the star's mother, Mrs. Francis Taylor, laughed off the incident by declaring it was the first date for the two.

"Mr. Kiner arranged the date through mutual friends," Mrs. Taylor said. "Elizabeth certainly can't sit at home every evening, and we approve all dates that she does have."

The 17-year-old Liz and Kiner, Pittsburgh ball player who last season was the National League home run king, last night attended the premiere of the picture, "Twelve o'Clock High" After the premiere, they went to a party honoring Gregory Peck, who stars in the film.

The movie beauty was once engaged to William Pawley, jr., but this was called off last September. Before that she wore a gold football from Lieut. Glenn Davis, former All-American halfback from West Point.

"And every time she has a date with someone, the gossips have her marrying him," her mother said.

Kiner's home is in Alhambra, Calif.

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

IN THE NATS FAMILY NOW—John James Jachym, who yesterday purchased 40 percent of Nats stock, receives congratulations at his home in Jamestown, N. Y., while his wife looks on. The 31-year-old former Marine will take an active interest in the Griffs

Ex-Marine Hero, 31, Gets 40 Pct. of Stock; Griff Keeps Control

By Shirley Povich
Post Reporter

John James Jachym, 31-year-old citizen of Jamestown, N. Y., moved solidly into the Washington baseball scene yesterday with the disclosure that he has bought 39 7/10 percent of the Nats' stock.

The deal, completed last Saturday, was a $529,570 transaction involving the 7751 shares held by the George Richardson estate and brings to an end what had been a 30-year partnership of Clark Griffith and the Richardson family. Griffith owns 42½ percent of the stock.

It was completed without the knowledge of Griffith, president of the club, who revealed he had also bid for the Richardson shares and fully expected to acquire them.

"I was surprised," said Griffith. "For years I had an understanding with the Richardson family that I had the option to meet all bids. I did offer $70 a share, the price at which I believe the stock was sold, but they did not choose to sell to me."

Griffith added, however, "I have met Mr. Jachym and sincerely welcomed him into our organization. I am sure it will be a happy partnership."

Jachym reportedly was heading up a seven-man syndicate that purchased the Richardson stock. By telephone from Jamestown yesterday he stated he was the top man of the group, "but it may not be as many as seven. Those are details to be announced when the final financing is completed."

Griffith's new partner comes to the club with a background of baseball, newspaper work and war service as a decorated officer of the Marines. On completion of the deal Saturday, he resigned as assistant director of the Detroit Tigers' farm system.

Likely to Be Treasurer

Officership in the Washington club is expected to be voted Jachym on January 3, at the annual meeting of the stockholders. Reliable reports are that he will be voted into the post of treasurer, formerly held by William Richardson, executor of the Richardson estate.

Jachym stated emphatically that he did not seek to acquire control of the Washington team by added stock purchases, declaring, "I have the utmost respect for Mr. Griffith's operations and am content to be a junior partner."

Originally, Jachym was schooled in baseball by Branch Rickey, then general manager of the St. Louis Cardinals. After graduating from the Missouri School of Journalism, Jachym worked a year as a newspaper reporter in Missouri and then caught on as a scout for Rickey's Cardinals, later operating one of their baseball schools.

Marine Hero

"I've been a baseball enthusiast since my early teens, and dreamed that some day I would be associated with the ownership of a major league team," said Jachym.

With the outbreak of the war, he enlisted in the Marines as a private and was commissioned in 1942 as a secnod liteutenant after taking officer training at Quantico. He was assigned to the First Marine Division and made the landing at Guadalcanal.

Twelve days after D-Day, Second Lieut. Jachym was awarded a Silver Star 'for intrepidity and gallantry in action, great personal valor in leading his platoon against the Japanese . . . the enemy was completely annihilated."

Bought Minor League Team

He also saw action in the New Guinea and New Britain campaigns before being detached for duty with the First Marine Brigade in Washington. While here, he acquired his first rooting interest in the Nats, he said. At the war's end he was discharged with the rank of major.

Following his discharge, Jachym quickly renewed his interest in baseball by buying the Jamestown club of the Pony League for $35,-

See NATS, Page B-6, Column 1.

On 87th Birthday

Mack Hopes For Pennant In 50th Year

By Charles Welsh

Philadelphia, Dec. 22 (AP).—The lean, lively old gent was talking on his favorite subject and there was a special glint in his eye, a sort of golden anniversary glint.

You would never have guessed, looking at him today, that Connie Mack was celebrating—very quietly—his eighty-seventh birthday. But there was no guessing about his subject and the reason for the special interest.

Next season will be his fiftieth year, his golden anniversary, as manager of the Philadelphia Athletics. And Connie, seated in the high-backed red leather chair in his trophy-crowded Shibe Park office, was looking ahead for the benefit of sportswriters and newscasters.

"I think it will be a good season. And I'm hoping to win one more pennant, he said, adding:

"Our club will be stronger, but so will the whole American League."

Ticking off the points one by one on his long, bony fingers that still show the knots and scars of his catching days three score years ago, Connie summed up the A's this way:

"A stronger infield with Bob Dillinger; an adequate outfield, though we're still looking for that long-ball hitter; good catching from Joe Tipton and Joe Astroth, and a better year for our pitching staff.

"I hope we can win that way, if things go all right. Boston, the Yankees, Cleveland, Detroit (Connie named them in that order) all will be hard to beat. I think the White Sox will be the surprise of the league. But I think, and hope, we can win.

Selby Paces Blair Over Alumni, 46-33

With Johnny Selby's 10 points showing the way, Montgomery Blair High defeated the Alumni easily last night, 46-33.

Alumni	G	FG	PF	P	Blair	G	FG	PF	P
Rich'ds,f	0	3	3	3	Luckett,f.	1	2	3	8
Chapin,c.	1	2	0	4	Downs,f...	1	2	3	4
Carroll,f.	0	1	2	1	Hall,g....	2	0	0	4
Rodifer,g	1	1	1	3	Wootten,g	3	0	0	6
S'pson,f.	2	0	1	4	T'pkins,g	1	2	3	4
Clarke,g.	1	0	3	2	L'rimore,f	3	2	1	8
Kyle,g..	1	0	0	2	D'baum,f.	0	0	2	0
Schultz,f	1	0	0	2	Graves,g.	0	0	1	0
H'barth,c	2	0	2	4	Selby,c...	4	2	2	10
Br'dorf,c.	1	0	4	2					
Benton,c.	1	1	1	3					
Totals	12	9	21	33	Totals	17	12	13	46

Score at half—Blair, 24; Alumni, 19.

Results

NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

Baltimore	86	Washington	82
Indianapolis	104	Chicago	92
Boston	82	Minneapolis	69
Syracuse	83	Sheboygan	74
Anderson	101	Waterloo	84
Fort Wayne	87	St. Louis	75

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

LIU	76	Ithaca	55
CCNY	76	California	46
Loyola	71	Ohio Wesleyan	64
Louisville	75	LSU	65
Bowling Green	75	Loyola (La.)	57
Oklahoma A. & M.	44	Arkansas	36
Miami, Fla.	55	Mississippi	43
St. John's	60	San Francisco	44
Missouri	62	Southern Methodist	61
Colorado	64	Rice	51
Beloit	71	Fresno (Calif.) State	43
Idaho	66	Morningside	49

INDEPENDENT BASKETBALL

David Richards	38	Georgetown Dent.	22

HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL

Western	38	Alumni	36

COLLEGE HOCKEY

Michigan	7	Brown	5

Others Follow Suit

Kansas State's Eisenhower Releases Athletes' Salaries

Kansas City, Dec. 22 (AP). President Milton S. Eisenhower of Kansas State picked up support today for his proposal that schools come clean on their athlectic payrolls.

At the University of Nebraska, Chancellor R. G. Gustavson, said "I see no particlar reason for not giving out information like that."

Attorney James E. Campbell, president of the University of Missouri Alumni Association here, said "Our alums are 100 percent behind Eisenhower despite the fact we pay less than Kansas State."

The Kansas City Star will say editorially Friday the Eisenhower plan would end charges of "hypocrisy and pretense."

Eisenhower, whose more famous brother, Dwight D. Eisenhower, is president of Columbia University, announced yesterday that Kansas State was going to accelerate its lagging sports program. He disclosed that 77 students were on the payroll at a maximum wage of $60 a month—55 in football and 22 in basketball.

"I'd give anything," he said, "if all the colleges would publish their job lists and their payments."

Kansas State's pay scale for halfbacks and forwards appears to be par for the conference.

"Folks won't believe it," said Campbell, "but Missouri pays only $55 a month and the players have to work hard for that. However, I don't know of any conference schools that are too much out of line."

"Actually what worries me," added Campbell, "is that Missouri pays only 50 cents an hour, which is now 25 cents an hour below the Government minimum wage scale."

A graduate from another school said his alma mater pays $65 a month, but has more jobs than Kansas State, namely 100.

'Frisco Bows To St. John's

New York, Dec. 22 (AP).—Unbeaten St. John's University of Brooklyn came from behind with a rousing second-half rally to defeat a strong San Francisco five, 60-44, for its tenth victory in the feature of tonight's all-New York-California college basketball doubleheader. A Madison Square Garden sell-out crowd of 18,000 watched CCNY roll to an easy 76-46 triumph over luckless California in the opener.

Calif.	G	FG	PF	P	City Coll.	G	FG	PF	P
Walker,f.	1	1	4	3	Dambrot,f	6	2	2	14
Hasler,f.	3	0	5	6	Warner,f.	3	5	1	11
Cam'ona	0	0	0	0	Wittlin,f.	2	2	0	6
Payne,f..	0	0	5	0	Nadel,f...	0	0	0	0
Wirth,f..	2	0	2	4	Levy,f....	0	1	1	0
C'ham,c	2	6	5	10	Watkins,f	1	1	0	3
K'ager,f	0	0	0	0	Roman,c.	7	3	3	17
Gibbons,g	0	2	2	2	Mager,c..	1	0	2	2
Tilmon,g	2	0	4	4	Smith,g...	0	0	1	0
Mathews,g	1	0	2	2	Meyer,g..	0	0	1	0
Th'pson,g	3	2	5	8	Galiber,g.	1	0	2	2
Nichols,g	3	1	4	7	Glass,g...	0	0	0	0
					Cohen,g...	3	2	1	8
Totals	17	12	32	46	Roth,g....	1	3	4	5
					Lane,g....	0	3	0	3
					Totals	27	22	19	76

Score at half—City College, 39; California, 23. Free throws missed: California—Walker (2), Hasler (2), Kretsinger, Cunningham (2), Gibbons, Thompson (2), Nichols. City College—Dambrot (3), Warner (2), Wittlin, Nadel, Roman (2), Mager, Smith, Cohen (4), Roth (2), Lane (3).

S. Fisco	G	FG	PF	P	St. John	G	FG	PF	P
McIkosh,f	3	2	2	8	C'abrese,f	5	5	0	15
L'gran,f.	5	4	0	14	Tully,f..	5	0	2	10
Hickey,f.	1	2	1	4	MacG'ry,f	0	0	3	0
Bobek,f..	1	1	1	3	B'reras,f.	1	0	0	2
McN'ee,c	0	2	3	2	O'Shea,f.	1	0	0	2
Giesen,c.	2	0	2	4	Z'oluk,c..	4	4	4	12
Hanley,c.	2	0	2	0	Noonan,c.	0	0	0	0
Levin,g..	1	0	0	2	Redding,g	0	0	1	0
Wong,g..	0	0	0	0	Dalton,g..	0	0	0	0
H'erias,g	0	0	2	0	Mulzoff,g.	0	1	0	1
Kunas,g..	5	0	2	10	McM'on,g	3	2	2	8
Giudice,g	0	0	2	0	McG're,g.	4	2	4	10
Totals	27	10	22	44	Totals	23	14	17	60

Score at half—San Francisco, 27; St. John's, 24. Free throws missed: San Francisco—Metikosh, Lofgran (4), McVee, Giesen (2), Kunara. St. John's—MacGilvary, Bonanno, Zawoluk, Redding, McMahon, [illegible] (2).

Instead of Plays

Harlow Sticks To Plants Now

BALTIMORE, DEC. 22—(AP) "Plants as a hobby—Richard C. Harlow, Westminster, Md."

This item on the program for the annual meeting of the Maryland Nurserymen's Association January 9 revealed today what a former topflight football coach has been doing.

The speaker on plants will be the same Dick Harlow who coached at Penn State, Western Maryland, Colgate and Harvard. Poor health forced him to retire in 1947.

He came to Westminster where he coached Western Maryland 1926-34 and settled down to "just smell the earth."

In addition to becoming enough of an authority on flowers to speak to professional growers, Harlow also is an expert on birds. While at Harvard he was curator of the ornitrology department

Lavelli Plays Here Tonight

Tony Lavelli, former Yale star who finally traded his squeeze box to squeeze baskets for the Boston Celtics, will perform tonight at Uline Arena against the Caps.

Lavelli, composer as well as accordionist, turned a week on the Capitol Theater boards here last summer.

Although Lavelli scored 52 points against Williams, 40 against Princeton and was held under double figures only five times in 94 Yale games, he's having scoring trouble in the NBA. Lovelli did break loose last night, getting 26 points against Minneapolis.

In four years at Yale he set a scoring record of 1964 points, but Lavelli currently is averaging only 6.6 points per game. It's a former Cap, Sonny Hertzberg, who's pacing the Celtics.

What's On Today

COLLEGE BASKETBALL
Hampton at Howard, 8:45 p. m.
HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL
Alumni at St. John's, 8 p. m.
George Washington vs. Gonzaga at Uline, 7 p. m.

In 2 Weeks

BoardDecides Pantos Case

By Herb Heft
Post Reporter

It's up to the Board of High School Principals to decide whether or not Central's Jimmy Pantos is eligible to compete in Interhigh basketball this semester.

The board will be handed the case at its next meeting in two weeks by Birch Bayh, head of health physical education and safety.

McKinley Tech and Coolidge requested the investigation, but have not yet written out an official protest.

Tech and Coolidge cite Article II, Section 2b of the Interhigh code which says:

"In order to represent a school in any sport, a pupil must be enrolled in the school within the first 20 days of the semester in which the contest is played: this applies to . . . transfer from preparatory school."

Pantos was enrolled at Central in September when the present semester started. On November 1, he moved to Longwood Prep in Olney, Md. He played in a football game there against Georgetown University freshmen, but two weeks later, he returned to Central. He played in Central's first two nonleague basketball games.

Pantos has used up five semesters of basketball eligibility, and is entitled to one more. If he is eligible now, he becomes ineligible to Central when the semester ends January 28. If he is judged ineligible now, he may play his last semester of eligibility, beginning January 29.

Central plays four of its six games before January 28. Among its opponents are Coolidge and Tech.

Hyattsville High Wins 4th Straight

Undefeated Hyattsville High romped to its fourth straight victory last night, 42-22, over Annapolis at Hyattsville gym.

Warren Lytle scored 11 to pace Hyattsville, while Mel Hyatt tallied 8 for Annapolis.

Hy'ville	G	FG	PF	P	A'apolis	G	FG	PF	P
Guest,f..	2	1	2	5	Meckins,f	0	2	2	2
Cheek,f..	0	0	0	0	Moyer,f..	1	4	1	6
Swiser,f..	0	0	2	0	Joestian,f	0	0	0	0
Leaman,f	2	2	0	6	Hyatt,f...	3	2	3	8
B'nazan,f	2	0	0	4	G'Como,c	0	0	4	0
Adams,c..	0	1	0	1	C'Como,g	1	0	1	2
Winter,c.	0	1	0	1	Nickols,g.	2	0	3	4
Lytle,g...	5	1	1	11					
Walton,g.	0	1	1	0	Totals	6	8	14	22
Vance,g..	0	0	1	0					
G'alves,g.	2	0	2	4					
Golden,g.	0	2	0	2					
Totals	17	8	14	42					

Score at half, 24-11. Hyattsville. Officials—Bickford and Hudson.

Notes From Here and There

Red Auerbach Says Tri-City Is Shaping Up; Terp Back Combines Honeymoon, Bowl Trip

By Morris Siegel
Post Reporter

EX-CAPS Coach Red Auerbach, who left a winner at Uline Arena to take over a loser at Tri-City, is quite happy over his plight . . . "We've made six player changes in five weeks," the jubilant Auerbach, home for the holidays, said here yesterday, "and we're just now beginning to shape up as a real club." . . . Tri-City's present mark is 7-17, but Auerbach guarantees it won't be that for long. Wednesday he completed what he thinks is the best deal he's ever made in pro basketball, trading Gene Nostrand to the Chicago Stags for Whiz Kid Gene Vance . . . Other major acquisitions Auerbach has made since taking over the team include Johnny Mahnken, the ex-Georgetowner and Mike Todorovich, the All-America from Wyoming who was voted the rookie of the year in the old National League last season . . . "Todorovich is another Bones McKinney, only younger," Auerbach added.

JACK NICHOLS, whom Auerbach would like to pry away from the Caps, may give pro ball the pitch next year in favor of a medical career. He's on the "standby" list of three med schools . . . Dick Schulz, who caught on with Tri-City after the Caps released him, has been released and plans to enter business in Sheboygan . . . George Garber, who guided George Washington to the finals of the Southern Conference basketball championship while filling in for the ailing Otto Zahn last year, is coaching the Colonial freshmen . . . Georgetown University has dropped ice hockey because it meant playing in Baltimore and would fail "to provide entertainment for the students, who do not participate actively, but do participate as spectators" . . . Halfback Vern Seibert of Maryland will be married Christmas Eve. The Seiberts will honeymoon at Jacksonville, Fla., where the Terps meet Missouri in the Gator Bowl . . . Missouri, which opened a six-point favorite over Maryland, is now even money. Texas Western is a 13-point favorite over Georgetown in the Sun Bowl . . .

MATCHMAKER Gabe Menendez's New Year's resolution: To get a stiff opponent for classy featherweight Gene Smith . . . "He's shown me he can punch, now I'd like to see if he can take a punch," Menendez explained. . . . Smith, Golden Gloves champ, won his first two, pro fights by knockouts. . . . Gus Tebell, basketball-baseball coach at Virginia U. and also mayor of Charlottesville, has been named president of the newly formed Virginia Semipro Baseball League. . . . Despite its sad finish—losses to Tulane and North Carolina on consecutive Saturdays—Virginia's football team clinched the honor for the "team of the year" . . . . That 26-14 victory over Pennsylvania clinched the honor for the Cavaliers. . . . Mrs. Florence Turner, the only woman boxing promoter in the land, distributed $5000 in cash bonuses to Turner's Arena employees and also gave fruit cakes to all Arena neighbors, a custom her late husband, Joe Turner, started years ago. . . .

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DEAR FOLKS:

There's heaps of racing scheduled for this winter. Hialeah, Santa Anita, Gulfstream and the other bigtime tracks will make most of the headlines. Taking in the sport at those major ovals is enjoyable, but unless you're plenty lucky, expensive. Many of the fans who would like to follow the horses during the cold months can't stand the "nut" involved in taking in a Widener Handicap or the Santa Anita Handicap. It is for this reason that Sunshine Park, located near Tampa, Fla., is looking forward to an increase both in attendance and mutuel play. Sunshine Park, opening January 13, is to Florida racing what Charles Town, Bel Air and Marlboro are to racing in the Washington area. No big stake races, but horses known to the ordinary fans. Out of the high rent, high eat territory, Sunshine hopes to draw many of the little bankroll customers who, after all, are the backbone of racing. BILL

Selections at Tropical
SELECTIONS AT TROPICAL
1—Blue Gem, Winter Rules, Mountain Lion.
2—Neddiecan, River Scotch, Mesmerized.
3—Dalpark, Campaigner, Quarter Boots.
4—Netherby, Sir Hal, Clean Broom.
5—MINT O'MORN, Justice, Musketeer.
6—Indus, Too Sunny, Algie.
7—Hyblaze, Highbinder, Head an' Tell.
8—Rosalu, Why Cry, Merry Tudor.

Lions' Ex-Coach Sues for $5000

Frank M. Beisler, jr., of Hamden, Conn., former coach of the defunct Washington Lions hockey team filed suit yesterday in District Court for $5000 against the M. J. Uline Co.

Beisler said that his contract with the Lions was to extend through the 1949-1950 season, but that Uline dropped the team franchise.

Beisler contends he should be paid the $5000 promised him under the contract for the season

Play Starts Tuesday With 70 Games

Seventy games are scheduled for the first day of the District Recreation Department's annual Christmas basketball tournament, opening Tuesday, December 27, at Coolidge High, Macfarland and Jefferson Junior High gyms.

A record entry of 155 teams are ready to battle it out in seven different classes for the right to play in the finals December 30 at Coolidge.

Pairings for December 27:

AT COOLIDGE GIRL'S GYM
JUNIOR GIRLS

10 a. m., Takoma vs. Virginia ave.; 10:45, Jefferson vs. Macfarland; 11:30, Blessed Sacrament vs. Hillcrest; 12:15, St. Theresa vs. Stuart.

SENIOR GIRLS

1 p. m., Jefferson vs. Hearst; 1:45, Anacostia vs. Palisades; 2:30, Chevy Chase vs. Macfarland; 3:15, Lafayette (B) vs. Stuart.

UNLIMITED

5 p. m., Rosedale vs. Turkey Thicket; 6:00, Crackerjack vs. Pinehurst; 7:00, Chevy Chase C. B. vs. Segretti Iron; 8:00, Panthers vs. Stoddert; 9:00, Kanes Tavern vs. Church of Our Saviour; 10:00, Leland Jet vs. Edgewood Rough Riders; 11:00, St. Stephens vs. winner of Kanes and Church of Our Saviour.

BOYS' GYM

6 p. m., Foggy Bottom vs. National Lith.; 7:00, Takoma Sharks vs. David Richards; 8:00, Hine vs. Takoma Gunners; 9:00, Viking vs. S. E. C.; 10, Acheson Keller vs. winner of Rosedale vs. Turkey Thicket; 11:00, Takoma Trash vs. David's Grill; 4:00 (unlimited restricted), Takoma Blues vs. Chevy Chase Rollers, Boys' Gym.

GIRLS' GYM
UNLIMITED RESTRICTED

9:30 a. m., Montrose vs. Palisades; 10:00, Blue Devils vs. Rudolph; 11:00, Takoma Grays vs. Merry Neuphers; noon, Chevy Chase Tigers vs. Powell; 1:00, Takoma vs. Courtiers; 2:00, Macfarland vs. Chevy Chase Nonames; 3:00, Janney vs. Fitzgerald Plumbers; 4:00, Macfarland (C) vs. Metro; 5:00, Macfarland (A) vs. the Zollners.

AT MACFARLAND BOYS' GYM
90 POUNDS

10 a. m., Takoma Reds vs. Edgewood; 11:00, Stoddert vs. Macfarland; noon, Takoma Tigers vs. Lafayette.

105 POUNDS

1 p. m., Stoddert vs. Macfarland; 2:00, Edgewood vs. Takoma; 3:00 (unlimited restricted), Turkey Thicket vs. Takoma Bums; 4:00, Virginia vs. Taft; 5:00, McMillan vs. Lafayette Cats.

GIRLS' GYM
120 POUNDS

10 a. m., Turkey Thicket vs. Takoma; 11:00, Macfarland vs. Stoddert; noon, Taft vs. Lafayette; 1 p. m., St. Ann's vs. Edgewood; 2:00, McMillan vs. Chevy Chase Hornets.

UNLIMITED RESTRICTED

3 p. m., Langdon vs. Chevy Chase Wild Cats; 4:00, Edgewood vs. Takoma Monks; 5:00, Hearst Apaches vs. Macfarland (B).

UNLIMITED CLASS
BOYS' GYM

6 p. m., Teehans vs. Macfarland; 7:00, U. S. Poster vs. Sherwood; 8:00, Taft (C) vs. Chevy Chase; 9:00, Takoma Arena vs. winner of Chevy Chase Community Building vs. Segretti; 10:00, O'Donnan's vs. winner of Chevy Chase Gunners vs. Stuart; 11:00, Edgewood vs. winner of B. Town Bombers vs. Ridge.

GIRLS' GYM

6 p. m., Chevy Chase Gunners vs. Stuart; 7:00, Jefferson vs. Powell; 8:00, B-Town Bombers vs. Ridge; 9:00, Takoma Nuggets vs. winner of Teehans vs. Macfarland; 10:00, Short's Contractors vs. Jefferson vs. Powell; 11:00, S.E. Celtics vs. Chevy Chase vs. Taft.

AT JEFFERSON
90 POUNDS

10 a. m., Jefferson vs. Anacostia; 11:00, Congress Heights vs. Georgetown; noon, Hine vs. Trinidad.

105 POUNDS

1 p. m., Jefferson vs. Fort Greble; 2:00, Anacostia vs. Trinidad.

120 POUNDS

3 p. m., Anacostia vs. Stuart; 4:00, Jefferson vs. Hillcrest.

UNLIMITED RESTRICTED

5 p. m., Sherwood Ace's vs. Jefferson; 6:00, Hanson Handsome vs. Ingram Memorial; 7:00, Congress Heights vs. Montrose; 8:00, Hillcrest vs. Kingsman.

Western Wins On Karas' Goal

Stan Karas, long set shot with less than a minute to play gave Western a 38-36 win over its Alumni yesterday at Western.

Harold Weintraub, high scorer for the winners with 13 points, had knotted the count at 36-36 a minute before a tap-in. The win was the Red Raiders' third against two losses.

Western	G	FG	PF	P	Alumni	G	FG	PF	P
Karos,f	3	1	2	7	Cerrick,f	0	0	2	0
St'man,f	0	0	0	0	F'erbell,f	0	0	0	0
Howard,f	0	0	2	0	Jones,f	1	0	1	2
S'ouffer,f	3	1	0	7	Negri,f	4	0	1	8
Larsen,f	0	0	1	0	Stratos,c	0	2	1	2
Rich'ds,c	0	0	0	0	B'endine,g	2	0	2	4
W'traub,g	5	3	1	13	Picco,c	0	1	2	1
H'kman,g	0	4	1	4	Cr'man,c	0	0	1	2
R'blatt,g	2	3	0	7	Wolfe,g	0	1	1	1
					S'vester,g	1	0	2	2
Totals	13	12	7	38	King,g	0	0	4	0
					Castro,g	6	2	0	14
					Totals	15	6	17	36

Score at half, 17-13, Alumni. Free throws missed—Western, 8; Alumni, 5.

Kenwood Board Has New Faces

The Kenwood Country Club elected two new members to its board of governors and reelected three others at a meeting yesterday. Mrs. John H. Bullock voted chairmar, of the women golfers committee, and Dr. Noah Pomeroy, voted to the board, are the new members.

Edward F. Ragland was reelected chairman of the board, Alfred H. Hobelmann was reelected vice chairman and H. B. Hunt was reelected secretary.

All-Star Lacrosse Set At College Park

The ninth annual North-South All-Star Lacrosse game will be played June 9 at the University of Maryland, the United States Intercollegiate Lacross Association announced today.

The Friday night game will be played in Byrd Stadium, which has a capacity of about 16,000.

Virginia-Generals To Play in Richmond

Richmond, Va., Dec. 22 (AP).—The second annual Tobacco Festival football game at City Stadium here next October 14 will feature the traditional clash between the University of Virginia and Washington and Lee.

Tropical Park

FIRST RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $1800; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

No.	Horse and Jockey	Wt.	Odds
1	Winter Rules (Rivera)	120	3-1
2	Squidge (Leblanc)	114	15-1
3	*Roman Jose (McLaughlin)	108	30-1
4	*Geronomo (LaPlace)	108	20-1
5	Jay Porst (Stout)	110	6-1
6	Jet Propelled (Leblanc)	110	8-1
7	Felt Hat (Combest)	113	30-1
8	Penny Reward (no boy)	113	30-1
9	Mountain Lion (Strange)	117	5-1
10	*Blue Gem (Boulmetis)	105	4-1
11	Bert-Ram (Gomez)	120	20-1
12	Astrolabe Bay (Strange)	113	20-1
13	*Bronze Medal (Russo)	105	5-1
14	Dive Bomber (Rivera)	107	6-1
15	Pic-On-Me (no boy)	107	30-1
16	Happy Flora (no boy)	110	12-1

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $1800; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

1	*O. G. Kelley (no boy)	112	8-1
2	Con Merchant (no boy)	115	4-1
3	Maruca (no boy)	106	12-1
4	Black Tempest (Stout)	114	8-1
5	Bull Man (Church)	112	20-1
6	River Scotch (Jemas)	119	5-1
7	†Mesmerized (Dickey)	102	12-1
8	Great Khan (Church)	111	30-1
9	Eternal Star (no boy)	109	30-1
10	Contramaestre (no boy)	117	20-1
11	†Good Fun (Lott)	104	30-1
12	Newton (Shaw)	111	10-1
13	Lands End (Combest)	112	8-1
14	Neddiecan (Strange)	114	3-1
15	†Say Polly (Kondor)	107	30-1
16	Niecesue (Gomez)	113	8-1

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $1900; 2-year-olds; allowances.

1	Evernessa (Campbell)	117	20-1
2	Dalpark (Williams)	115	3-1
3	Feelifofum (Flutie)	102	30-1
4	Potent (Lindberg)	117	4-1
5	*Volume (Flutie)	99	30-1
6	Opal Blossom (Lynch)	120	5-2
7	Restless Waves (Balaski)	117	8-1
8	Campaigner (Rivera)	120	2-1
9	Quarter Boots (Bernhardt)	112	10-1

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $1800; 2-year-olds; claiming.

1	Sir Hal (Stidham)	108	20-1
2	Thunderjet (Stout)	114	8-1
3	*Selenite (Culmone)	114	4-1
4	Billman (Rivera)	116	8-1
5	Clean Broom (Baird)	119	6-1
6	Armelle (Rivera)	116	6-1
7	Sweet Orphan (Baird)	116	5-1
8	Netherby (Stout)	119	2-1

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $2000; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

1	aBlack Talk (Bowcutt)	107	5-1
2	*Gray Star (no boy)	111	5-2
3	Yazdegerd (Baird)	117	12-1
4	*Gallalad (Boulmetis)	117	6-1
5	a*Musketeer (no boy)	109	5-1
6	*Master Bid (McLaughlin)	111	5-2
7	High Shine (Garner)	110	4-1
8	bMint O'Morn (Stout)	116	20-1
9	bJustice (Stout)	116	8-5

aE. Dibe entry.
bJerry McCarthy Stable entry.

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $2000; 3-year-olds; allowances.

1	*Indus (Culmone)	103	3-1
2	Flashy Sir (Garner)	111	6-1
3	*Algie (Phillipp)	106	8-1
4	Midchannel (no boy)	111	5-2
5	Outland (Roberts)	111	6-1
6	*Triple Hearts (Boulmetis)	117	8-1
7	Too Sunny (no boy)	108	5-1
8	Cedric (Strange)	111	20-1

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles; purse, $1800; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

1	Highbinder (Renick)	116	4-1
2	*Head an' Tell (Rustia)	115	5-1
3	*Ventolino (Culmone)	111	8-1
4	Nonpareil (Bernhardt)	116	10-1
5	Lion Rampant (Rivera)	120	6-1
6	War Story (Cook)	122	10-1
7	Indian Jewel (Breen)	112	15-1
8	Hyblaze (Sanabria)	112	5-2

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $1800; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

1	Kentmere Miss (Leblanc)	110	6-1
2	Rosalu (Lindberg)	107	20-1
3	Beach Boy (no boy)	113	5-1
4	Why Cry (Givens)	117	6-1
5	Fearless (Roberts)	110	20-1
6	Auntie Mark (Baird)	107	20-1
7	Big Muddy (McLaughlin)	115	6-1
8	Early Winter (Bernhardt)	113	50-1
9	*Fighting Gypsy (no boy)	106	8-1
10	Sure Glide (no boy)	110	30-1
11	*Merry Tudor (Boulmetis)	112	3-1
12	Ida A. (Gomez)	111	30-1
13	Inscroll (Sanabria)	116	6-1
14	Sanchilla (Sanabria)	113	20-1
15	†Crooner (Grillo)	110	10-1
16	Miss Hasie (Errico)	117	12-1

*5 lbs. †7 lbs. allowance claimed.

AP Selections

AT TROPICAL PARK
1—Bert-Ram, Mountain Lion, Dive Bomber.
2—River Scotch, Newtown, Lands End.
3—Evernessa, Potent, Feelifofum.
4—Netherby, Armelle, Thunderjet.
5—HIGH SHINE, Justice, Master Bid.
6—Triple Hearts, Indus, Midchannel.
7—Nonpareil, Head an' Tell, Highbinder.
8—Crooner, Beach Boy, Big Muddy.

AT FAIR GROUNDS
1—Bernnie, Fun Chum, Maud.
2—Head Me, Watchful Eye, Wise Streak.
3—Hypothesis, Beth B's First, Rene Upstart.
4—Win the Peace, Town Man, Bold Star.
5—Lilly Valenti, Banovina, Wish Egan.
6—GRAY CHIEF, Don Coventry, Admired.
7—Bilcella, Frisk, Black Rover.
8—Shasta Turban, Atomic City, Grandma G.
9—Singular, Spanaqua, Darby Dismay.

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Tropical Park Racing Chart

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FIRST RACE—One and one-eighth miles. Purse, $2500. For 3-year-olds and up; claiming. Went to post at 1:32. Off at 1:32½. Start good from gate. Won driving; place same. Winner, M. Quintero's b. f. (3) by Upstream—Campship. Trained by M. Quintero. Time, 1:53.

Horses	Jockeys	Wt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Black Mittens (Rob'ts)	107	10	3	2½	2½	2½	1½	1½	$7.40
Wamezo (Batcheller)	116	9	4	1hd	1hd	2½	2½	2½	2.95
Sunnip (Carr)	110	1	6	6½	5hd	3½	3½	3hd	2.40
Lilac Lady (Russo)	108	8	2	3½	4½	5½½	4½	4½	17.75
Killerbess (Robertson)	116	6	7	9½	8½½	6½	5½½	5½	2.15
Buzy Sis ... (Knapp)	106	5	1	5½	5hd	4hd	6½	6½	5.40
Pharack (Bernhard)	119	2	5	7hd	9½	7½	7½	7½	7.30
Segundo Sombra (W'n)	111	4	9	8½	7½	8½	8½	8½	34.35
Shellmar ... (Jones)	112	11	8	4½½	6½	9½	9½½	9½	30.50
Friendly Don (Ric'rd)	119	3	10	11	10½	10hd	10hd		22.25
Winnebago (Boul'etis)	114	7	11	10½	11	11	11	11	69.45

BLACK MITTENS, $16.80, $6.10, $4.50; WAMEGO, $4.10. $3.20; SUNNIP, $8.00.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $1800. For 3-year-olds and up; maidens; claiming. Went to post at 1:59. Off at 1:59½. Start good from gate. Won ridden out; place driving. Winner, Mrs. C. R. Powell's dk. b. f. (3) by Attention—Ponemah. Trained by H. M. French. Time, 1:12.

Horses	Jockeys	Wt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Pamlico ... (Howell)	114	7	1	1½	1½	1½½	1½	1½	$4.05
Jack's Request (L'ers)	112	4	11	7½	5½	3½	2½		12.45
Alwhirl ... (Baird)	112	10	12	12	6½	5½	3hd		4.10
Jalopee ... (Garner)	112	9	2	4½	4½½	4½	4½		5.45
Janet Maher . (Stout)	115	12	4	2½	2½	2½½	5½		2.35
Tybras ... (Bauer)	112	2	8	3½½	3½½	6½	6½½	6½	374.15
Center Piece (McPhee)	109	5	6	9½	8hd	7hd	7½		36.40
Maximette .. (Servis)	108	8	10	11½½	9½	8½	8hd		9.05
Simaid ... (Rivera)	112	6	9	10hd	11½	9½	9½		14.40
Bikini II ... (Nadeau)	118	11	7	6hd	7½	10½	10½		20.75
Platinum Mick (La'r)	109	1	5	5½½	12	12	11½		338.95
Sarah Hash (D'Au'o)	111	3	3	8hd	10hd	11hd	12		293.00

PAMLICO, $10.10, $6.10, $4.70; JACK'S REQUEST, $13.60, $7.30; ALWHIRL, $3.50.

DAILY DOUBLE, BLACK MITTENS AND PAMLICO—$85.00.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $1800. For 2-year-olds; claiming. Went to post at 2:26. Off at 2:27. Start good from gate. Won easily; place driving. Winner, S. Rich's dk. ch. c. (2) by Requested—Steer Clear. Trained by E. W. King. Time, 1:12.

Horses	Jockeys	Wt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Clear Request (Bo'tis)	114	7	1	4hd	3hd	1½½	1¹		$2.80
Jersey Bounce (Poll'd)	112	9	4	3²	4²	5¹	2hd		35.00
Lute Girl ... (Errico)	109	8	8	8²	6½½	4hd	3½		5.65
Record Player (Stout)	119	8	3	2²	2²	3hd	4hd		3.85
Tipstaff ... (Robertson)	122	1	10	9hd	8²	6¹	5½½		16.95
Mama C. (D'Augus'o)	119	10	2	1½	1¹	2hd	6½½		4.35
Passemson . (Givens)	116	5	9	7½	5hd	8⁴	7hd		83.70
Almeria ... (Garner)	114	4	7	6hd	7¹	7hd	8⁴		6.00
Peter Barton (Martin)	119	3	5	5½	9¹	9²	9²		6.75
Guinevere . (Layton)	109	2	6	10	10	10	10		129.55

CLEAR REQUEST, $7.60, $4.80, $3.40; JERSEY BOUNCE, $23.60, $11.00; LUTZ GIRL, $4.20.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $1800. For 3-year-olds and up; claiming. Went to post at 2:54. Off at 2:54½. Start good from gate. Won driving; place same. Winner, P. L. Grissom's ch. m. (6) by Easy Mon—Florazina. Trained by W. J. Susini. Time, 1:10⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Knight's Gift (McL'n)	114	6	2	2²	2½½	2¹	1hd		$2.50
Wee Hal ... (Culmone)	113	3	3	1½½	1½	1½½	2¹		2.65
Blue Fedora (Grosso)	109	4	1	5¹	3²	3²	3½		12.15
Bold Lady... (Flutie)	108	5	7	6²	5hd	5²	4hd		11.40
Fighting Mad (Bou'is)	114	8	10	9½½	7²	4½	5½½		3.60
Parliament (Hansman)	109	9	8	7hd	8½½	7²	6²		18.20
Iron Pigeon. (Bern't)	110	12	12	8	12	10²	9²		78.90
Tularch ... (Gleason)	113	10	4	3hd	4½½	6¹	8²		169.10

Private Joe and Toubou Isle also ran.

DAILY DOUBLE PAID $54.40

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $1900. For 2-year-olds; fillies; allowances. Went to post at 3:21. Off at 3:21½. Start good from gate. Won driving; place same. Winner, Mrs. A. Sabath's ch. f. (2) by Alsab—Fighting Polly. Trained by T. Marshall. Time, 1:11⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Devotional (Boulmetis)	113	6	7	8²	6½	3¹	1½		$4.85
One Rose . (Roberts)	118	3	1	2½½	2½	1½	2½½		4.15
Regal ... (Scurlock)	118	1	8	6½½	2hd	2hd	3½½		5.90
Sailors' Choice (St'ge)	118	8	6	5½	5½	5²	4½		.90
Effervescent (Phill'pi)	113	10	3	4½	3hd	4hd	5¾		26.70
Buckiegirl ... (Errico)	115	7	10	10	9½	7²	6hd		126.25
Gimme ... (Rivera)	115	4	4	3½½	4½	6²	7²		32.30
Ruling Pen (Batch'er)	107	9	5	7½	8½	8²	8½½		45.85
Ficklerose .. (Givens)	118	5	9	9²	10	9hd	9²		35.55
Encased ... (Seawthorn)	115	2	2	1½½	7½	10	10		39.30

DEVOTIONAL, $11.70, $5.50, $4.20; ONE ROSE, $6.20, $4.30; REGAL, $4.50.

SIXTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $2500. For 3-year-olds and up; allowances. The Doncaster Purse. Went to post at 3:48. Off at 3:48½. Start good from gate. Won easily; place driving. Winner, H. S. Reineman's ch. g. (5) by Pilate—Eight O'Clock. Trained by E. B. Carpenter. Time, 1:42⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Dinner Hour (Cul'one)	107	5	2	4½½	3½	2½	1¹		$2.35
Happy Victor (Baird)	118	7	5	3²	3½	2²	2¹		3.75
Pellicle ... (Roberts)	115	2	7	6²	4½½	3²	3½½		4.55
Simab ... (Lindberg)	105	3	6	5¹	6⁴	5¹	4hd		18.40
Nazzan ... (Picou)	112	4	4	2²	2½	4½½	5²		27.40
Mi Preferido (Gomez)	119	6	3	1hd	1hd	6²	6½½		1.50
Hiya-Sailor (McLau'n)	110	1	1	7	7	7	7		98.65

DINNER HOUR, $6.70, $3.30, $2.70; HAPPY VICTOR, $4.10, $3.40; PELLICLE, $3.00.

SEVENTH RACE—One and three-sixteenths miles. Purse, $2000. For 3-year-olds and up; claiming. Went to post at 4:14; off at 4:14½. Start good from gate. Won driving; place same. Winner, Mrs. W. Gilroy's ch. c. (3) by Penelon-Transformation. Trained by J. J. Swisher. Time, 1:56⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Transfluent . (Nelson)	111	4	5	1¹	1¹	1hd	1hk		$13.55
Dobodura . . (Gomez)	114	1	2	4½	4¹	2²	2²		3.30
Floating . (Boulmetis)	107	6	7	6²	5¹	4½	3hd		2.75
Fertile Lands (Cul'ne)	112	2	1	7²	7½½	5½	4²		2.10
Our Tommy (Lind'g)	114	8	4	3²	2¹	3¹	5¹		11.50
Peter B . . (Weissman)	115	3	6	5½	6²	6²	6½		10.35
Lady Alice . (Jemas)	112	7	3	2hd	3hd	7½½	7¾		13.70
Walter's Boy (F'gan)	114	5	8	8	8	8	8		15.15

TRANSFLUENT, $29.10, $11.80, $6.90; DOBODURA, $5.30, $3.80; FLOATING, $3.50.

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $1800. For 3-year-olds and up; claiming. Went to post at 4:43. Off at 4:43½. Start good from gate. Won driving; place same. Winner, A. Balinton's ch. g. (3) Airway—Queen O' Stars. Trained by J. Balinton. Time, 1:44⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Air Force II. (Grillo)	108	4	3	3hd	3hd	1½	1¹		$3.90
Bold Knot ... (Jones)	110	4	1	2²	2²	3²	2½½		14.10
Applause (McLaughlin)	112	6	8	7hd	4¹	2½½	3½½		3.95
Gremlin . (Boulmetis)	112	3	4	6hd	7¹	4²	4²		3.80
Okamsel ... (Culmone)	115	1	2	5½½	5½	5²	5½½		2.20
Scotland Yard (Kn'pp)	117	9	9	10	9hd	7²	6²		58.75
Zerlina ... (Shaw)	110	10	6	1hd	1hd	6hd	7hd		67.60
Opening Day.. (Polk)	117	2	10	9½	10	8²	8²		48.15
Comanche Peak (Er'o)	111	8	7	8²	6½½	9¹⁰	9¹⁰		41.85
She's Got It (Pollard)	110	7	5	4hd	8²	10	10		44.85

AIR FORCE II, $9.80, $6.50, $4.90; BOLD KNOT, $11.30, $6.70; APPLAUSE, $4.80.

Fair Grounds

1—¾; $1000; maiden 2-year-olds; clmng.

Fun Chum	115	*Redwood Lass	110
Classmate	115	Gray Twin	118
*Mad Saint	113	*Whymemore	113
*Maud	110	White's Boy	118
*Bernzie	111	Quad Lesan	118
Dan Jr.	118	*Double Gift	110
*Free Verse	113	*Big Scope	110
Picabu	115	Lilly Perfume	115

2—¾; $900; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Wise Streak	109	*Toe the Mark	101
*Watchful Eye	101	Golden Spain	109
Petriad	106	*Lennie Boy	107
*Beti P	101	Gay Serene	115
Invermark Girl	109	Sweet Hope	109
Better Times	109	*Oyster Loaf	104
*Four Bells	104	Joe's Star	109
Head Me	112	*Flag Shifter	107

3—¾; $1100; 2-year-olds; claiming.

Spitfire	115	My Chris	112
Juiac	112	Here's Fay	112
Dr. Jay	112	Good Fortune	105
*Nina Dee	104	Ginny Weaver	109

4—1⅛; $900; 3-year-olds; claiming.

*Artless	108	Jodina	110
Battling Vixen	107	Town Man	113
Cancellation	110	*Bold Star	103
Win the Peace	110	Enrich	110
*Spotty	105		

5—¾; $1300; 3-year-olds; allowances.

Banovina	116	Jimminy Gosh	116
*Merry Waltz	111	*Fighting Gal	108
†Wish Egan	109	*Gaveitome	108
†Lilly Valenti	111	Little Flower	116

6—¾; $1100; 2-year-olds; claiming.

*Jeanne H.	110	*Sally's Chance	107
Ticker Tape	115	*Tiny Tidy	100
Hen's Boy	112	*Can't Trust	107
Pitiful Fire	109	*Miss Dixieland	107

7—1⅛; $1500; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Superwolf	110	*Frisk	107
Black Rover	111	*Roseborough	107
Billcella	111	*Great Shuffle	107

8—1⅛; $900; 2-year-olds up; claiming.

*Atomic City	106	Rotamal	117
Joe's Sun	111	†Grandma G.	101
*All White	103	Wm. Dash	111
Shasta Turban	120	Fearless Ken	117

9 (sub)—1¼; $900; 3-year-olds up; clmg.

Yankee Captain	121	Spanaqua	118
Pompagle	112	Singular	118
Darby Dismay	115	*Arrow Rock	107
Git	112	Russian Valor	112
Micky Q	112	*Mary M. V.	104
Merry Boy	112	Little Trouble	118
Our Birthday	115	Lucky Champ	115
*Idle Hero	116	Two Day Air	112
Top Secret	115	*Sir War	107

*5 lbs., †7 lbs. allowance claimed.

1—¾; $900; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Dusty, 115 (Madden)	18.20	9.60	8.40
Colonel Jack, 112 (Bielen)		40.20	14.00
Quick Cash, 112 (Keene)			7.20

Pigeon Express, Frishore, First Breeze, Silk Bound, Leo One, Zacadow, Easy Quero also ran. Time, 1:16⅘.

2—5½; $900; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Glory Be, 112 (Claggett)	6.40	4.00	3.20
Delfeb, 115 (Madden)		58.80	21.20
His Son, 118 (Licausi)			4.80

Nedford, Papa Noel, Bernsie, Duke Reed.

Private Joe and Toubou Isle also ran.

DAILY DOUBLE PAID $54.40

3—¾; $1100;

Kell Beats Out Williams By .0002

Chicago, Dec. 22 (AP).—Detroit's George Kell, first third baseman ever to do the trick, today officially was proclaimed American League batting champion by an unprecedented eyelash margin of two ten-thousands of a point.

Official figures for the blistering 1949 stick race disclosed the Tiger star thwarted a bid by Boston's Ted Williams for a fifth hitting crown on the last day of the season, .3429 to .3427.

Boston won the team batting title with a .282 mark, 13 points ahead of the champion New York Yankees.

Four times previously a league batting championship was settled by a one-point margin, but this was the first time the statisticians had to get out the slide-rule for a fractional reading.

The final accounting released today credited Kell with 179 hits in 522 at bats, compared with Williams' 194 blows in 566 trips. Kell played in 134 games and Williams in 155.

On the campaign's closing day, Kell collected two hits and Defending Champion Williams went hitless to be inched into the runner-up spot. Williams had led from the first week in August.

The junior circuit's first photo finish came in 1910 when Detroit's Ty Cobb shaded Cleveland's Nap Lajoie, .385 to .384. In 1928, Goose Goslin of Washington edged Heinie Manush of St. Louis, .379 to .378.

The 1935 crown went to Buddy Myer of Washington, .349 to .348 over Cleveland's Joe Vosmik, and in 1945, New York's George Stirnweiss outlasted Chicago's Tony Cucinello, .309 to .308.

For the injury-plagued Kell, the performance fulfilled the potentiality with a stick demonstrated when the Bengal ace led all minor league hitters in 1934 with a .396 mark for Lancaster of the Inter-State league.

NATS—*From Page B4*

Marine Heads Group Buying 40% of Nats

000 and operating it under a working agreement with the Detroit Tigers.

At the end of the 1947 season, he sold his Jamestown club to Detroit for $50,000, a record price for a franchise in the league, and joined the Tigers as assistant to Red Rolfe, then director of their farm system. In 1949 he served in the same capacity under Ray Kennedy, following Rolfe's elevation to the Detroit managerial job.

Jachym — pronounced Yokum — will be introduced to the stockholders on January 3 by Griffith whose reelection to the presidency for the twenty-ninth consecutive year is assured. He will also learn that the Nats lost $270,000 on the operation of their farm system last year, forerunner perhaps to a failure to declare an annual dividend.

Jachym declared it was his intention to be active in the Washington organization and that he would move his residence here. He is the father of a small son and daughter.

"I don't know what my duties with the Washington club will be," he said, "but I have offered Mr. Griffith my fullest service and look forward to the pleasure of working for him and with him."

The stock purchased by Jachym originally was bought by the late William D. Richardson, Philadelphia exporter, who teamed with Griffith in 1919 in acquiring approximately 80 percent of the team. The Richardson stock that was sold to Jachym for $529,000 originally cost Billy Richardson $117,000.

Last week in the Washington stock market, bids of $65 a share for the Nats' stock were offered, with none accepted.

The Griffith-Billy Richardson partnership endured for 20 years until the latter's death. His brother, George Richardson, inherited the shares and with his death two years ago the stock went to the estate. William Richardson, son of George, supplanted his father as treasurer of the club.

In the years after 1919, the Richardsons did not increase their holdings but Griffith bought up shares that gave him 42½ percent of the club. He has never had actual voting control, but has been supported enthusiastically by longtime friends in Washington who own sufficient holdings to delegate complete control to Griffith.

First indications that the Richardson stock was for sale took place last summer when brokers offices throughout the East reported it "available." William Richardson, the younger, admitted he was considering selling, but declared Griffith would be given the option.

American League Batting Averages

CLUB BATTING

Club	G	AB	R	OR	H	TB	2B	3B	HR	SH	SB	CS	LOB	Pct.
Boston	155	5321	896	667	1500	2237	272	36	131	78	43	28	1284	.282
New York	155	5196	829	637	1396	2076	215	60	115	84	58	30	1162	.269
Detroit	155	5258	751	655	1405	1986	215	51	88	107	39	52	1226	.267
Cleveland	154	5221	675	574	1358	2004	194	58	112	113	44	40	1157	.260
Philadelphia	154	5123	726	725	1331	1889	214	45	82	117	36	25	1239	.260
Chicago	154	5204	648	737	1340	1868	207	66	42	84	52	55	1232	.257
Washington	154	5234	884	868	1330	1862	207	41	81	63	46	33	1216	.254
St. Louis	155	5112	667	913	1301	1925	213	30	117	83	38	39	1087	.254
TOTALS		41669	5776	5776	10961	15787	1737	391	769	729	366	299	9599	.263

INDIVIDUAL BATTING
(Ten or More Games)

Name and Club	BATS	G	AB	R	H	TB	2B	3B	HR	SH	SB	CS	Pct.
Thompson, Forrest D., Wash.	L	10	5	2	3	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	.600
Zoldak, Samuel W., Cleve.	R	27	8	1	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	.375
DiMaggio, Joseph P., N. Y.	R	76	272	58	94	162	14	6	14	0	0	1	.346
Kell, George C., Detroit	R	134	522	97	179	244	38	9	3	16	7	5	.3429
Williams, Theodore S., Boston	L	155	566	150	194	368	39	3	43	0	1	1	.3427
Klieman, Edward F., 2 Wash., 18 Chicago	R	20	9	1	3	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	.333
Stuart, Martin H., Detroit	L	15	6	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	.333
Overmire, Frank, Detroit	R	14	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.333
White, Harold G., Detroit	R	10	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.333
Dillinger, Robert B., St. L.	R	137	544	98	176	227	22	13	1	7	20	14	.324
Zernial, Gus E., Chicago	R	73	198	29	63	99	17	2	8	0	0	1	.318
Mitchell, L. Dale, Cleve.	L	149	640	81	203	274	16	23	3	2	10	3	.317
Silvera, Charles A., New York	R	58	130	6	41	43	2	0	0	0	0	1	.315
Peck, Harold A., Cleve.	L	33	29	1	9	10	1	0	0	0	0	0	.310
Doerr, Robert P., Boston	R	139	541	91	167	269	30	9	18	7	2	2	.309
Michaels, Casimer E., Chicago	R	154	561	73	173	236	27	9	6	7	3	7	.308
Phillips, John D., New York	R	45	91	16	28	37	4	1	1	2	1	0	.308
Galan, August J., Phila.	L	12	26	4	8	10	2	0	0	1	0	0	.308
DiMaggio, Dominic P., Boston	R	143	603	126	186	284	34	9	8	3	5	4	.307
Pesky, John M., Boston	L	148	604	111	185	232	27	7	2	5	8	4	.306
Sievers, Roy E., St. Louis	R	140	471	84	144	222	28	1	16	2	1	5	.306
Wertz, Victor W., Detroit	L	155	608	96	185	283	26	6	20	7	2	3	.304
Higdon, William T., Chicago	L	11	23	3	7	10	3	0	0	0	0	0	.304
Evers, Walter A., Detroit	R	132	432	68	131	185	21	6	7	4	6	7	.303
Appling, Lucius B., Chicago	R	142	492	82	148	194	21	5	5	6	7	12	.301
Goodman, William D., Boston	L	122	443	54	132	161	23	3	0	6	2	0	.298
Robinson, Wm. Edward, Wash.	L	143	527	66	155	242	27	3	18	2	3	4	.294
Kryhoski, Richard D., N. Y.	L	54	177	18	52	71	10	1	1	3	3	7	.294
Groth, John T., Detroit	R	103	348	60	102	164	19	3	11	3	1	7	.293
Adams, Herbert L., Chicago	L	56	208	26	61	72	5	3	0	1	1	2	.293
Kolloway, Donald M., 4 Chicago, 126 Detroit	R	130	487	71	142	173	19	3	2	4	7	7	.292
Vernon, James B., Cleve.	L	153	584	72	170	259	27	4	14	13	9	1	.291
Moss, John Lester, St. Louis	R	97	278	28	81	122	11	0	10	2	0	1	.291
Stephens, Vernon D., Boston	R	155	610	113	177	329	31	2	39	0	2	2	.290
Priddy, Gerald E., St. Louis	R	145	544	83	158	225	26	4	11	9	5	3	.290
Henrich, Thomas D., New York	L	115	411	90	118	216	20	3	24	0	2	2	.287
Philley, David E., Chicago-BOTH	L	146	598	84	171	207	20	0	5	3	12	4	.286
Boudreau, Louis, Cleve.	R	134	475	53	135	173	20	3	4	12	0	1	.284
Stewart, Edward P., Wash.	L	118	388	58	110	165	23	4	8	7	6	4	.284
Valo, Elmer W., Phila.	L	150	547	86	155	221	27	12	5	12	14	11	.283
Brown, Robert W., New York	L	104	349	61	97	137	14	4	6	0	4	3	.283
Doby, Lawrence E., Cleve.	L	147	547	106	153	256	25	3	24	5	10	9	.280
Ortiz, Roberto, Wash.	R	40	129	12	36	42	3	0	1	0	0	0	.279
Njarhos, Constantine G., N. Y.	R	32	43	7	12	16	2	1	0	0	0	0	.279
Chapman, Samuel B., Phila.	R	154	589	89	164	268	24	4	24	3	3	4	.278
Kress, Charles S., Chicago	L	97	353	45	98	130	17	6	1	11	6	7	.278
Campbell, Paul M., Detroit	L	87	255	38	71	103	15	4	3	7	3	3	.278
Zarilla, Allen L., 16 St. Louis, 124 Boston	L	139	530	78	147	218	33	4	10	2	5	5	.277
Majeski, Henry, Phila.	R	114	448	52	124	187	26	5	9	6	0	1	.277
Berra, Lawrence P., N. Y.	L	116	415	59	115	179	20	2	20	0	2	1	.277
Kennedy, Robert D., Cleve.	R	121	424	49	117	177	23	5	9	8	5	5	.276
Moses, Wallace, Phila.	L	110	308	49	85	113	19	3	1	10	1	3	.276
Rizzuto, Philip P., New York	R	133	614	110	169	220	22	7	5	25	18	6	.275
Coleman, Gerald F., New York	R	128	447	54	123	160	21	2	1	4	8	6	.275
Dente, Samuel J., Wash.	R	153	590	48	161	196	24	4	2	4	4	4	.273
Bauer, Henry A., New York	R	103	301	56	82	130	6	6	10	5	2	2	.272
Evans, Alfred H., Wash.	R	109	321	32	87	111	12	3	2	3	4	1	.271
Tebbetts, George R., Boston	R	122	403	42	109	138	14	0	5	6	8	1	.270
Woodling, Eugene R., N. Y.	L	112	296	60	80	122	13	7	7	7	2	2	.270
Kozar, Albert K., Wash.	R	105	350	46	94	125	15	2	4	1	2	1	.269
Robinson, Aaron A., Detroit	L	110	331	38	89	141	11	1	13	6	0	3	.269
Lemon, Robert G., Cleve.	L	46	108	17	29	60	6	2	7	5	0	0	.269
Mullin, Patrick J., Detroit	L	104	310	55	83	129	8	6	12	4	1	2	.268
Suder, Peter, Phila.	R	118	445	44	119	185	24	6	10	7	0	1	.267
Ostrowski, John T., Chicago	R	49	158	19	42	74	9	4	5	1	4	3	.266
Guerra, Fermin, Phila.	R	98	298	41	79	104	14	1	3	9	3	0	.265
Joost, Edwin J., Phila.	R	144	525	128	138	238	25	3	23	4	2	1	.263
Fain, Ferris R., Phila.	L	150	525	81	138	178	21	5	1	11	8	1	.263
Lopat, Edmund, New York	L	31	76	9	20	31	8	0	1	1	0	0	.263
Kokos, Richard J., St. Louis	L	143	501	80	131	230	28	1	23	2	3	8	.261
Lollar, J. Sherman, St. Louis	R	109	284	28	74	109	9	1	8	2	0	1	.261
Stirnweiss, George H., N. Y.	R	70	157	29	41	53	8	0	3	3	2	0	.261
Mize, John R., New York	L	13	23	4	6	10	1	0	1	0	0	0	.261
Vollmer, Clyde F., Wash.	R	129	443	58	112	173	17	1	14	1	1	2	.253
Yost, Edward F., Wash.	R	124	435	57	110	170	19	7	9	4	3	3	.253
Boone, Raymond O., Cleve.	R	86	258	39	65	89	4	4	4	9	0	2	.252
Gordon, Joseph L., Cleve.	R	148	541	74	136	220	18	3	20	4	5	6	.251
Robertson, Sherrard A., Wash.	L	110	374	59	94	150	17	3	11	3	10	3	.251
Keller, Charles E., New York	R	60	116	17	29	44	4	1	3	1	2	0	.250
Shea, Frank J., New York	R	20	12	1	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	.250
Johnson, William R., N. Y.	R	113	329	48	82	123	11	3	8	4	1	0	.249
Mapes, Clifford F., N. Y.	L	111	304	56	75	118	13	3	7	6	6	0	.247
Early, Jacob W., Wash.	L	53	138	12	34	41	4	0	1	3	0	1	.246
Lewis, John K., Wash.	L	95	257	25	63	94	14	4	3	3	2	2	.245
Tucker, Thurman L., Cleve.	L	80	197	28	48	67	5	2	0	2	4	2	.244
Lindell, John H., New York	R	78	211	33	51	79	10	0	6	0	3	0	.242
Spence, Stanley O., 7 Boston, 104 St. Louis	L	111	334	49	80	139	14	3	13	8	1	1	.240
Haynes, Joseph W., Wash.	R	37	25	1	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	.240
Hudson, Sidney C., Wash.	R	40	67	6	16	18	2	0	0	3	0	0	.239
Graham, Jack B., St. Louis	L	137	500	71	119	215	22	1	24	8	0	1	.238
Ferretti, Marino F., Chicago	R	48	38	6	9	10	1	0	0	1	0	0	.237
Feller, Robert W., Cleve.	R	36	72	7	17	27	2	1	2	1	0	0	.236
Mele, Sabath A., 18 Boston, 78 Wash.	R	96	310	22	73	101	13	3	3	2	4	1	.235
Wright, Taft S., Phila.	L	59	149	14	35	53	2	3	0	4	0	0	.235
Weisel, Ralph R., Wash.	R	34	60	4	14	16	2	0	0	0	0	0	.233
Keltner, Kenneth F., Cleve.	R	80	246	35	57	94	9	2	3	8	0	1	.232
Lehner, Paul E., St. Louis	L	104	297	25	68	90	13	0	3	8	0	2	.229
Hegan, James E., Cleve.	R	152	468	54	105	158	19	5	8	12	1	0	.224
O'Brien, Thomas E., Boston	R	49	125	24	28	42	5	0	3	3	1	0	.224
Coan, Gilbert F., Wash.	L	111	358	36	78	110	7	8	3	1	8	4	.218
Reynolds, Allie P., New York	R	67	78	8	17	24	3	2	0	2	0	0	.218
Simmons, John, Wash.	R	62	84	12	20	30	4	0	0	3	0	0	.215
Christman, Mark J., Wash.	R	49	112	8	24	35	2	0	3	1	0	0	.214
Tipton, Joseph J., Chicago	R	67	191	20	39	59	5	3	3	0	1	1	.204
Hitchcock, William C., Boston	R	55	147	22	30	38	6	1	0	5	2	3	.204
Shoun, Clyde M., Chicago	L	18	5	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.200
Gonzales, Enrique, Wash.	R	13	5	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.200
Scarborough, Ray W., Wash.	R	34	67	4	13	15	2	0	0	0	0	0	.194
Weik, Richard H., Wash.	R	28	28	3	5	8	0	0	0	2	0	0	.179
Harris, Maurice G., 7 Boston, 23 Washington	L	30	51	2	9	9	0	0	0	4	0	0	.176
Hittle, Lloyd E., Wash.	R	16	28	2	4	4	0	0	0	2	0	0	.143
Calvert, L. Paul, Wash.	R	35	51	6	7	7	0	0	0	4	0	0	.137
Gettel, Allen J., 19 Chi., 16 Wash.	R	35	26	2	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	.115
Masterson, Walter E., 11 Wash., 18 Boston	R	29	35	8	3	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	.086
Welteroth, Richard J., Wash.	R	52	17	1	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	.059

Score at half, 13-11. Heinbaugh. Official—

Tech Teachers Give Lettermen Basketball Lesson

The McKinley Tech High faculty gave its sports lettermen a lesson in basketball, 36-27, yesterday in their annual game in the Tech gym.

Ed Solomon, 220-pound coach of the football team, scored 10 points to lead the faculty attack. Elwood Cooke and Ray Wolf, ends on the football team, and John Theide, track dashman, led the Circle T Club with four points apiece.

Faculty	G	FG	FP	P
Diobro, f.	2	2	2	6
Sherman, f.	1	3	0	6
Usilaner, f.	1	2	1	4
Harris, f.	0	0	0	0
Solomon, c.	5	0	1	10
Averial, c.	0	0	0	0
Walker, g.	0	0	1	0
L'bardi, g.	2	0	1	5
Smith, g.	3	0	2	6
Jenkins, g.	0	0	0	0
Totals	14	8	8	36

Circle T	G	FG	FP	P
Green, f.	0	0	0	0
Wege, f.	1	0	1	2
Theide, f.	2	0	0	4
Perkins, f.	0	0	1	0
Herbert, f.	0	0	1	0
Frain, f.	0	0	0	0
Fox, c.	2	0	3	4
Wolf, c.	1	0	1	2
Rinaca, c.	1	0	3	2
Cooke, g.	2	0	1	4
Hudgins, g.	0	0	2	0
Th'pson, g.	1	0	2	2
Lewis, g.	1	0	0	2
Rice, g.	1	0	1	2
C'andreo, g.	0	0	2	0
Baught, g.	0	0	1	0
Moul, g.	1	0	0	2
Posse, g.	1	1	2	3
Totals	13	1	22	27

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One on the Aisle—

Myrna Loy Talks Of UNESCO Role

By Richard L. Coe

MYRNA LOY, carrot-topped, freckled and chic as next year's ads, talks knowingly of the movies and of her work with UNESCO.

The popular star's work with UNESCO is news to most people. When some groups started a Pacific Regional Conference on UNESCO in San Francisco the summer of 1948, Miss Loy spoke her thoughts on how mass communications could best serve the international cultural organization. She spoke so well that they elected her a member.

Since then, between pictures and married life, she's devoted a lot of time to UNESCO, going to Paris headquarters, conventions and the like. Back in Los Angeles she's been influential in getting the creative people of the screen together on grasping the brotherhood of nations idea.

"Our entertainment pictures," says Myrna, "are, of course, the finest possible mass communication method. People go to the movies, as we think of them, for entertainment and, you know, nowadays, it seems to me that term includes finding a reason for living. Look at the success of such pictures as 'The Snake Pit,' 'Home of the Brave,' 'Pinky' and the like.

"Those films have surprised the producers because they're outside of the usual mold. I'm not saying we shouldn't have musicals and Westerns and the usual types, but we've all matured so greatly in the past decade! Our tastes aren't easy for the producers to gauge.

"There are other films besides the entertainment variety. Look at the documentaries. Our people in Hollywood did a fine job with them during the war. There are a lot of Signal Corps men out there doing a fine job now.

"I don't like to use a picture I was in as an example, but 'The Best Years of Our Lives' is a case in point. There you had as close to realism as a big Hollywood production can go. Not only was it a fine picture, but its influence in Italy, France, England, Germany and Austria would amaze you.

Reasons for National Traits

"A few years ago those nationalities were at war. Yet the Mackinlay Kantor story showed them that even for the conqueror, war is a terrible thing. The way three segments of our society were shown in that picture has made a tremendous imprint on people abroad. They can associate themselves with the characters in the picture and they realize that people the world over are the same.

"That's one thing our films can do for UNESCO. For years it's been a joke that all Englishmen carry umbrellas, but when you make it clear that they do so because it rains so much in England, it doesn't seem so absurd. The same is true of countless national customs. If we can show how these little 'peculiarities' arise, we'll be making man understand his brother the world over.

"To get back to the documentaries. They're for outright teaching, and that means the makers of those films have to overcome an initial barrier. This prompted one of them to envy us in Hollywood for working on the entertainment level.

German Education

"Then there's the educational film. We've only begun to scratch the surface on this. Think of what education can do.

"It is, for instance, the seat of the German hero worship. The child in the classroom, brought up in the old ways, has no concept of thinking for himself. In the family he's been taught to look up to the father; in school, it's the teacher. Naturally, from such a background, a Hitler can arise.

"So when the educators at the conferences I attend make cracks about the low-level appeals of Hollywood films, I simply throw it back to them—you've failed in your education field if, when we make good pictures, they're not appreciated, whereas the poorer ones may make money. It's all in good spirit, of course."

From which, you can see that the Ideal Wife of the American screen is a lady who can talk and whose horizons have spread with the times.

Christmas Visitor

"Far cry from the Oriental vampires of your early movie days, isn't it?" you ask.

The lady with the crinkly blue eyes laughs and allows how it is. She's just completed what sounds like a grand Hollywood role, Mother, opposite Clifton Webb in the Technicolored version of "Cheaper by the Dozen."

Husband Gene Markey is making an unusual picture in Austria, starring Bobby Henrey, that remarkable lad of "The Fallen Idol." Alexander Korda is producing the Markey screen play, an original.

Miss Loy is putting a semicolon into her travels by stopping off over the Christmas holidays with her State Department friend, Mrs. Alice Turley Curran, who couldn't ask for a more Ideal Guest.

But what impresses you most about Miss Loy is how the Montana lass has progressed from glamorizing, slant-eyed, at Grauman's Chinese, to the role of good citizen of the world.

AS HERSELF: Jane Wyman, star of "The Lady Takes a Sailor" opening today at the Warner, poses in Christmas contentment

Columbia Road Group To Hold Yule Party

Children who are not over 10 and who live in the vicinity of 18th and Columbia rd. nw. have one more day—today—to get tickets for Santa Claus tomorrow.

The 18th and Columbia Rd. Businessmen's Association is staging the party Saturday from 9 to 11 a. m. for children in the neighborhood under 11. To receive a present from Santa each child must present a ticket from his teacher, which is evidence he lives in the area. Businessmen are expecting a thousand children.

Show Time

Warner—"The Lady Takes a Sailor," he is Dennis Morgan, she is Jane Wyman; it is a comedy, at 11:15 a. m., 1:10, 3:15, 5:25, 7:35 and 9:38 p. m.

Capitol—"Border Incident," melodramatics in Mexico, with Ricardo Montalban and George Murphy, at 11:10 a. m., 1:50, 4:35, 7:15 and 10 p. m. Stage shows at 1, 3:45, 6:25 and 9:10 p. m.

Palace—"Oh, You Beautiful Doll," George Jessel follows a song writer in the Technicolored past, with June Haver and Mark Stevens, at 11:20 a. m., 1:25, 3:35, 5:40, 7:45 and 9:50 p. m.

RKO-Keith's—"Holiday Affair," comic doings with Robert Mitchum, Janet Leigh and Wendell Corey, at 11:15 a. m., 1:15, 3:20, 5:20, 7:25 and 10:45 p. m. Sneak Preview, at 9:05 p. m.

Trans-Lux—"Holiday Inn," Bing Crosby and Fred Astaire in a revival of the "White Christmas," musical, at 11 a. m., 12:45, 2:35, 4:25, 6:15, 8:05 and 9:55 p. m.

National—"David Harum," Will Rogers' old hit revived at 11:30 a. m., 1:20, 3, 4:40, 6:25, 8:05 and 9:45 p. m.

Columbia—"The Doctor and the Girl," Glenn Ford and Janet Leigh in a New York hospital, at 11:25 a. m., 1:30, 3:35, 5:40, 7:55 and 9:50 p. m.

Metropolitan—"Guadalcanal Diary," at 11:15 a. m., 2:40, 6:05 and 9:25 p. m. "The Purple Heart," at 12:55, 4:20 and 7:45 p. m.

Playhouse—"All the King's Men," vibrant, tumultuous film about the rise and fall of an American politician, finely acted by Broderick Crawford, Mercedes McCambridge at 11:25 a. m., 1:30, 3:30, 5:40, 7:50, 10 p. m.

Little—W. C. Fields bill: "You Can't Cheat an Honest Man," at 12:14, 2:36, 5:08, 7:42 and 10:16 p. m.; "Never Give a Sucker an Even Break," at 11 a. m., 1:33, 3:55, 6:27 and 9:01 p. m.

Dupont—"Man's Hope," at 2:30, 5:05, 7:40 and 10:20 p. m. "Hideout for Love," at 1:10, 3:40, 6:15 and 8:55 p. m.

Pix—"Country Girl," at 2:35, 6:45 and 10:15 p. m. "Marked Girls," at 4:20 and 8:25 p. m.

Ambassador—"The Lady Takes a Sailor," at 1, 3:10, 5:15, 7:25 and 9:35 p. m.

Charges of Burglary Against Two Dropped

An indictment charging robbery against Frank V. Morris, 30, of Abell, Md., and Mrs. Ruth E. Moye, 39, of 825 5th st. nw., has been dismissed in District Court, records disclosed yesterday.

They were indicted along with Margaret Hamilton, 22, of 451 K st. nw., with the holdup October 30 of the Palace Hotel, 1102 14th st. nw., where $22 was taken. Miss Hamilton pleaded guilty to the charge.

Arlington Board Due to Get New Traffic Code Early in '50

A proposed traffic code, to replace Arlington's piecemeal traffic laws, should be ready to present the county board "shortly after the first of the year," County Manager A. T. Lundberg said yesterday.

The code, labeled "urgently needed" in a recent report of the Arlington Safety Council, has been drafted by County Highway Engineer Clifton Stoneburner.

Now under review by county legal and enforcement authorities, it is based on a model traffic ordinance, indorsed by the National Conference on Street and Highway Safety.

Pedestrians' rights and duties would be outlined specifically for the first time under the proposed code, and failure to obey the rules would be a misdemeanor.

The new code would also create a traffic violations bureau under the County Court judge, to keep records on traffic violators and traffic cases in court, and to accept fines and collateral in traffic cases. The County Court clerk's office and police department, respectively, now carry out these functions.

Creation of the bureau was also recommended by the Arlington Safety Council.

The comprehensive code should be of "tremendous value" to the public and police, Lundberg said, since it would simplify and clarify regulations governing all phases of traffic control.

Pedestrians, if the new code is passed, will have to obey traffic lights, cross the street at right angles to the curb, yield the right of way to vehicles, except when crossing in a marked crosswalk, cross only at cross walks when in a business district or within 300 feet of one.

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KENNEDY Fredric March in "CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS" at 1:05, 3:10, 5:15, 7:25, 9:30.

MacARTHUR Glenn Ford in "MR. SOFT TOUCH" at 6:25, 9:40. Sally Forest in "NOT WANTED" at 8:00.

SAVOY Steve Brodie in "ROSE OF YUKON" at 1:30, 4:00, 6:30, 9:00. Allen Rocky Lane in "SUNDOWN IN SANTA FE" at 2:30, 5:00, 7:30, 10:00. Tomorrow, 10 a. m.: Children's Show, "NATIONAL VELVET" and Cartoons. Regular prices.

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RICHMOND 819 King St. Phone OV. 9826. Johnny Weissmueller "THE LOST TRIBE"

CENTRE (Fairlington) TEmple 1000. "A WOMAN'S SECRET" Maureen O'Hara, Melvyn Douglas

SHIRLINGTON Parkfairfax OVerlook 2500. "GERONIMO" Preston Foster, Ralph Morgan

DISTRICT THEATERS For Information, Call NOrth 9000

HOWARD 420 T St. N.W. Open 12 Noon. In Person: LOUIS JORDAN AND ORCHESTRA, plus Patterson and Jackson, Ruth "So Long" Brown—Giant Revue.

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REPUBLIC 1343 U St. N.W. Opens 12:30 P.M. Late Show 11:30 Tonight—George Raft, Virginia Mayo, "RED LIGHT"

BOOKER T 1433 U St. N.W. Open 12:30 P.M. Cary Grant, Ann Sheridan "I WAS A MALE WAR BRIDE"

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K-B THEATERS

VILLAGE 1307 Rhode Isl. Ave. N.E. Phone Mich. 9227. George Raft, Virginia Mayo in "RED LIGHT" at 6:00, 7:56, 9:52.

NEWTON 12th & Newton Sts. N.E. Phone Mich. 1839. Van Johnson, Gloria DeHaven in "SCENE OF THE CRIME" at 6:00, 7:50, 9:40.

JESSE 18th Nr. Rhode Isl. Ave. N.E. Phone DUpont 9861. Humphrey Bogart, Florence Marlin in "TOKYO" at 6:34, 9:48. Yvonne DeCarlo, Howard Duff in "CALAMITY JANE AND SAM BASS" at 8:20, 8:34.

SYLVAN First and R. I. Ave. N.W. Phone NOrth 9697. Bud Abbott, Lou Costello in "ABBOTT AND COSTELLO MEET FRANKENSTEIN" at 6:37, 10:03. Burt Lancaster, Yvonne DeCarlo in "CRISS CROSS" at 5:30, 8:36.

ACADEMY 833 9th St. S.E. LI. 3-9616. Bud Abbott, Lou Costello in "ABBOTT AND COSTELLO MEET FRANKENSTEIN" at 6:48, 9:42. Rod Cameron, Gale Storm in "STAMPEDE" at 5:30, 8:24.

VERNON 3707 Mt. Vernon Ave., Alexandria, Va. AL. 2424. Walter Pidgeon, Peter Lawford in "RED DANUBE" at 6:45, 9:20.

APEX 4813 Mass. Ave. N.W. WOodley 4600. First Uptown Showing—The Year's Wittiest Comedy Hit! "PASSPORT TO PIMLICO" at 1:25, 3:30, 5:35, 7:40, 9:45. Plus "FOOTBALL HEADLINERS OF '49." Starts Tomrrow: Walter Pidgeon, Greer Garson, Errol Flynn, "THAT FORSYTE WOMAN." Plus Special Feature for Children at 1:30 ONLY.

ATLAS 1331 H St. N.E. ATlantic 8300. Double Feature Program. Rod Cameron, Walter Brennan "BRIMSTONE" (in Color) Also: "JOE PALOOKA IN WINNER TAKES ALL"

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NAYLOR 28th and Ala. Ave. S.E. C2 Bus to Door. VI. 4000. Bargain Matinee—Family Night—Roy Rogers in "THE GOLDEN STALLION" (in Color) at 2:50, 5:40, 8:36. Plus: William Eythe, "SPECIAL AGENT" at 1:25, 4:15, 7:04, 9:55. Special Added Attraction, Chapter 4, "JAMES BROTHERS OF MISSOURI."

FAIRLAWN AMUSEMENT CO. THEATERS

ANACOSTIA 1418 Good H. Rd. S.E. AT. 2424. Walter Pidgeon, Peter Lawford in "THE RED DANUBE" at 1:30, 4:00, 6:30, 9.

ATLANTIC 21 Atlantic St. S.W. JO. 5-9000. William Holden and Lucille Ball in "MISS GRANT TAKES RICHMOND" at 6:25, 8:05, 9:45.

CAPITOL Capitol Heights, Md. HI. 4740. Double Feature—Roy Rogers in "SAGA OF DEATH VALLEY" at 6:15, 8:15, 10. Richard Travis in "SKYLINER" at 7:15, 9:15.

CONGRESS 2931 Nichols Ave. S.E. JO. 2-8777. Bette Davis and Joseph Cotten in "BEYOND THE FOREST" at 6:15, 8:00, 9:50.

FAIRLAWN 1342 Good Hp. Rd S.E. LU. 4-6400. Double Feature—Billy Halop in "THE DANGEROUS YEARS" at 6:15, 8:45. Dana Andrews in "THE IRON CURTAIN" at 7:15, 9:45.

HIGHLAND 2533 Pa. Ave. S.E. AT. 7311. Dennis O'Keefe in "ABANDONED" at 6:35, 8:15, 9:55.

LAUREL Laurel, Md. Laurel 113. Maureen O'Hara in "A WOMAN'S SECRET"

Roth Theaters

CORAL Marlboro Pike at District Line. Park Free. Hillside 3151. Maureen O'Hara in "A WOMAN'S SECRET" at 6:25, 8:05, 9:40.

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Arlington and Glebe "BLACK MAGIC" Orson Welles, Nancy Guild

BYRD 104 So. Wayne St. OX. 1733. "SCENE OF THE CRIME" Van Johnson, Gloria De Haven

Jefferson Lee Blvd. & Annandale FA. 9040. "GOD'S COUNTRY AND THE WOMAN," Beverly Roberts, George Bently

CIRCLE 2105 Pa. Ave. N.W. RE. 0184. Lucille Ball, William Holden in "MISS GRANT TAKES RICHMOND" at 6:20, 8:05, 9:55.

CAROLINA 11th & N. Carolina S.E. LI. 3-4471. Randolph Scott, "CANADIAN PACIFIC." Richard Widmark in "ROAD HOUSE."

STANTON 6th & C Sts. N.E. LI 4-9468. Richard Widmark, "SLATTERY'S HURRICANE." "OOMO, OOMO, SHARK GOD."

FAIRFAX Fairfax, Va. Phone 750. "THE RED DANUBE." Walter Pidgeon, Peter Lawford.

Savings-Loan Dividends Here To Set Record

By S. Oliver Goodman

Washington's 27 savings and loan associations will credit a record dividend total on 177,946 savings accounts, come December 31.

F. Willson Camp, secretary of the D. C. Building and Loan League, estimated yesterday that the league's member associations will distribute about $4,700,000 in dividends for the last six months. This will bring the year's total to about $9,200,000, he said.

Although local dividend rates this year are generally about the same as in 1948, the total amount which savers now have entrusted to the local institutions has reached a new high of 314 million dollars, according to Camp.

Incidentally, assets of the 27 associations also reached a new peak of $365,747,886 on November 30, an increase of 4.59 per cent over the same 1948 date.

Nationally, some 9½ million investors in savings and loan associations will receive $139,621,000 by the first of the year, according to Morton Bodfish, chairman of the U.S. Savings and Loan League. He added that the 6,000 institutions of this type now have a record $12,141,000,000 in share investments.

NEW OWNERSHIP: L. P. Safford, who is resigning as president of Safford-Chandler Nash Co. effective January 1, has purchased and taken over operation of the Dell-Nash agency at 8507 Colesville rd. in Silver Spring, Md. He will operate the latter as a direct factory dealer under the name of L. P. Safford Nash, Inc. Safford has been in the local automotive field for more than 20 years. W. E. Lawson will be sales manager; Marshall Booth, service manager; Paul Axelrod, parts manager; Daniel W. Martin, office manager.

Safford

STILL ACTIVE: In the face of further heavy selling yesterday, Capital Transit's 4 percent bonds held remarkably firm on the Washington Stock Exchange. A sale of $50,000 worth was recorded at 98½ and another of $10,000 at the same price, unchanged from Wednesday's level. Later, two more sales totaling $4000 were transacted at 98. In two days, $168,000 worth have been sold with only a dip of one half a point.

CHANGES: C. H. Wagner was named vice chairman of the boards of the American Oil Co. and its two subsidiaries, Lord Baltimore Filling Stations, Inc., and Mexican Petroleum Corp. Wagner will be succeeded as president of the three companies by H. C. Smith,

Smith

Wagner

vice president of American Oil. D. J. Smith, president of Pan American Petroleum and Transport Co., parent organization of the three concerns, remains as chairman of the boards of the three companies, which market petroleum products along the eastern seaboard including the District of Columbia area.

INSURANCE: Washington sales of ordinary life insurance totaled $11,613,000 in November, a gain of 1 per cent over the same 1948 month. This brought sales for the 11 months to $122,138,000, an increase of 3 percent over the like period last year. Maryland and Virginia sales for the month were up 9 and 6 percent, respectively, but show drops of 3 and 5 percent for the 11-month period. The figures were reported yesterday by the Life Insurance Agency Management Association of Hartford.

WHO'S WHO TODAY: Clifford F. Hood has been elected president of Carnegie-Illinois Steel Corp., succeeding Charles R. Cox, who resigned to become president of Kennecott Copper Corp. . . . Frank C. Rathje, president of two Chicago banks and former president of the American Bankers Association, has been elected president of the Transportation Association of America . . . Herbert W. Yeagley has been promoted to Washington representative of Monsanto Chemical Co. . . . John D. Rockefeller 3d is a new director of N. Y. Life Insurance Co. . . . H. G. Batcheller, president, has been named board chairman of Allegheny Ludlum Steel Corp. and E. B. Cleborne succeeds him as president.

Hood

ODD LOTS: Opening of a branch office at 8701 Georgia ave. in Silver Spring, Md., was announced yesterday by John M. Conroy, president of County Title Co., Inc., 1507 M st. nw. George L. Boswell is branch manager . . . The 135 employes of Mayer & Co., furniture store at 421 7th st. nw., have received more than $12,000 in Christmas bonuses, President Leonard W. Jacobs announced . . . Admiral Corp. has purchased the 64,000-square-foot General Mills plant at Bloomington, Ill. . . . About 600 are expected to attend the fifth annual Christmas party of the District Wholesale Drug Corp. in the Statler on Monday night.

Quotations on New York Stock Exchange

By The Associated Press

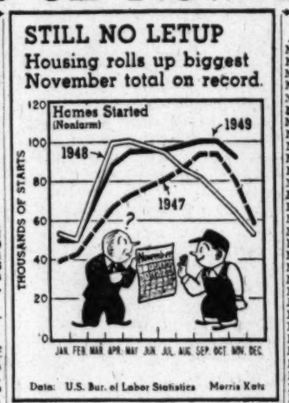
Total sales, 1,630,000 shares; previous day, 1,270,000; week ago, 2,069,460; year ago, 1,080,540; two years ago closed; January 1 to date, 262,732,143; year ago, 294,219,918; two years ago, 248,168,494.

Dow-Jones Stocks

New York, Dec. 22 (AP).—

	Open	High	Low	Close	Net ch.
30 inds	196.82	198.91	196.49	198.32	+2.07
20 rails	50.92	51.73	50.87	51.55	+0.69
15 utils	40.66	41.03	40.54	40.96	+0.34
65 stocks	70.32	71.13	70.19	70.96	—0.76

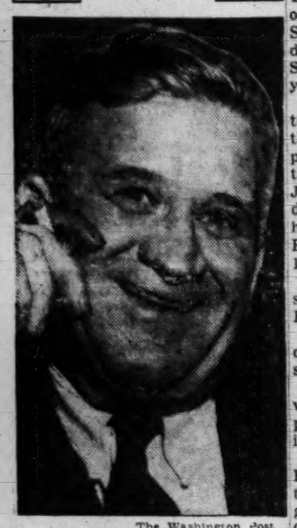
Transactions in stocks used in averages today: Industrials, 145,700; railroads, 103,100; utilities, 52,900; total, 301,700.



	Sales Add 00	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
ABBOTT LAB	9	49½	49	49	— ¼
ACF-Brill Mot	3	2¾	2¾	2¾	
Acme Stl	12	19½	19½	19½	— ⅛
Adams Exp	1	22½	22½	22½	
Adams-Millis	2	40	40	40	— 1
Addressos-Mult	9	44½	43¾	44½	+ 1
Admiral Corp	52	18⅝	17⅞	18⅜	+ 1¼
Affil Gas Eq	37	10⅜	10¼	10⅜	
Air Reduction	16	22½	22¼	22½	+ ¼
Alaska Juneau	6	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛	
Alleghany Corp	41	3¾	3⅝	3¾	+ ⅛
Alleghany pf	6	76¾	75	76¾	+ 2
Allegh Lud Stl	19	21½	21¼	21½	+ ¼
Allen Industries	3	8	8		
Al Chem & Dye	4	207	206½	206½	— ½
Allied Strs	14	34⅜	33⅜	34⅛	+ ⅜
Allis-Ch Mfg	53	33⅜	32¾	33¾	+ ¼
Alpha P Cem	6	35¾	35¼	35¾	+ ¼
Amal Leather	6	4	3	3	+ ⅛
Amerada Pet	8	117	115¼	115¼	— ¾
Am Ag Ch Del	4	44⅞	44⅝	44⅞	+ ¼
Am Airlines	64	9⅜	9¼	9¼	
Am Bank Note	2	26	25¾	26	+ ⅛
Am Bosch	7	11½	11⅜	11⅜	— ⅛
Am Brake Shoe	13	32⅜	31¾	31¾	— ⅛
Am Broadcast	24	8¾	8	8⅜	+ ⅛
Am Cable & Rad	19	3½	3⅜	3⅜	
Am Can	15	102½	100½	102¼	+ 2⅜
Am Car & Fdy	13	25⅜	25	25⅛	+ ⅛
Am Car & F pf	4	76¾	76	76	
Am Ch & Cable	2	24	23¼	24	+ 1
Am Chicle	7	44¼	44	44	— ¼
Am Colortype	4	19	18⅞	18⅞	— ⅛
Am Cyanamid	21	49⅜	48¾	49¼	+ ⅜
Am Cyan pf	6	115	114½	115	+ ½
Am Distill	2	34	33⅝	33⅝	+ ⅛
Am Encaus Til	3	6¼	6¼	6¼	
Am Export L	12	20¼	19⅞	20	
Am & For Pow	9	2¾	2⅝	2¾	— ⅛
Am & F P $7 pf	3	65	65	65	— ½
Am & F P $6 pf	2	56	56	56	
Am & F P 2 pf	13	17	16⅞	16⅞	— ⅛
Am Gas & El	21	50½	49⅝	50¼	+ ⅛
Am-Hawaii S S	2	39½	39½	39½	
Am Hide & Lea	10	4¼	4¼	4¼	
Am Home Prod	13	31⅞	30⅝	30⅝	— ⅜
Am Ice	2	8¾	8½	8⅝	+ ⅛
Am Locomot	74	14⅜	14⅛	14⅜	+ ⅛
Am M & Fdy	7	14⅜	14⅜	14⅜	
Am Metal	4	33½	33	33½	+ ⅛
Am Nat Gas	23	32⅝	32	32⅝	+ ⅛
Am News Co	2	36½	36½	36½	
Am Pow & Lt	97	15⅛	14⅞	15⅛	+ ⅛
Am P & L $6 pf	33	128¼	126¼	128¼	+ 2¼
Am P & L $5 pf	40	106¼	106¼	108¼	+ 2¼
Am Rad & S S	102	14¼	13⅝	14¼	+ ⅜
Am Safety Raz	6	8¾	8½	8⅝	
Am Seating	6	44¾	44	44¾	+ ¾
Am Smelt & R	12	55	53½	55	+ 1¼
Am Stl Fdrs	9	24⅝	24⅜	24⅝	+ ⅛
Am Stores	1	29¾	29¾	29¾	
Am Sugar Ref	11	44¾	44	44	— ¾
Am Tel & Tel	53	145½	143¾	145¼	+ 1
Am Tobacco	7	73¾	74	74⅝	+ ⅛
Am Viscose	16	72	71	71⅞	
Am Viscose pf	1	119½	119½	119½	+ 1
Am Wat Wks	9	7¾	7⅝	7⅝	— ⅛
Am Woolen	29	28	27⅝	27⅞	+ ⅛
Anaconda Cop	44	28⅛	27¾	28	+ ⅛
Anacon W & C	2	28⅜	28	28	+ ⅛
Anchor Hock Gl	2	39	39	39	+ ½
And-Prich Oil	67	26⅛	25¾	26	+ ⅛
A P W Prod	4	3	3	3	
Arch-Dan-Mid	5	41	40	41	+ ¼
Armco Stl	17	28⅝	28	28⅝	+ ⅛
Armour & Co	64	8⅛	7⅞	8⅛	
Armour pr pf	4	69½	68¾	69½	+ ¼
Armstrong Crk	4	49½	49½	49½	+ ¼
Assd Dry Gd	28	15¼	15⅛	15¼	+ ⅛
Associates Inv	2	47¾	47½	47¾	— ⅛
Atch T & S F	8	99⅝	98¼	99⅝	+ 1¼
Atch T&S F pf	2	104⅛	104	104	
Atl Coast Line	11	40½	39¾	40⅜	+ ⅛
Atl Refining	5	40⅞	40⅜	40⅞	+ ⅛
Atlas Corp	9	22⅜	22⅛	22⅜	+ ⅛
Autocar Co	1	6½	6½	6½	
Autom Canteen	30	11⅞	11⅝	11⅞	+ ⅛
Avco Mfg	23	3½	3½	3½	
Avco Mfg pf	4	37¼	37	37	— ¼
BABBITT (B)	4	14⅜	14⅜	14⅜	+ ⅛
Bald Loco	35	10½	10¼	10½	+ ⅛
Balt & Ohio	18	9⅜	9¼	9⅜	
Bangor & Ar	7	22	21¾	22	
Barber Oil	16	51	49⅝	50½	+ 1
Barker Bros	5	16⅝	16½	16⅝	+ ⅛
Barnsdall Oil	21	54⅛	53½	53⅝	— ⅛
Bath Iron Wks	5	14⅜	14⅛	14⅜	+ ⅛
Bayuk Cigars	2	12½	12½	12½	— ⅛
Beatrice Fds	3	31⅛	30¾	31⅛	+ ⅛
Beaunit Mills	8	17⅛	16¾	17	+ ⅛
Beaunit M pf	6	20¼	19⅞	20⅛	+ ⅛
Beech Aire	21	8	7⅞	7⅞	+ ⅛
Beech-Nut	8	32	31½	31½	— ⅛
Bell & Howell	17	35¾	35¼	35¼	— ⅛
Bendix Aviat	17	35¾	35¼	35⅝	+ ⅛
Bendix Home Ap	3	9¼	9¼	9¼	+ ⅛
Benef Ind Ln	8	25⅛	25⅛	25⅛	+ ⅛
Ben Ind L 4 pf	2	108⅛	108⅛	108⅛	+ ⅛
Ben Ind L 5 pf	1	83	83	83	
Bengue C Mng	76	3¼	3¼	3¼	
Best Foods	22	36	34¾	35¾	+ 1⅛
Beth Steel	64	31⅞	30⅝	31⅛	+ ⅛
Bigelow-Sanf	9	25⅞	25⅜	25⅞	+ ⅛
Birming El	2	9¼	9¼	9¼	
Black & Deck	3	25½	25½	25½	+ ⅛
Blaw-Knox	9	14½	14	14⅛	— ⅛
Bliss (E W)	14	14½	14½	14½	
Boeing Airp	19	24⅛	24	24⅛	+ ⅛
Bohn Al & Br	12	26	25⅞	26	+ ⅛
Bond Strs	22	15	14⅝	15	+ ⅛
Borden Co	13	49⅛	48¾	49	— ⅛
Borg-Warner	17	36¾	36¼	36⅝	+ ⅛
Bower Roll B	3	36¾	36¼	36¾	+ ⅛
Braniff Airw	3	7¾	7¾	7¾	+ ⅛
Bridgept Brass	12	8	8	8	
Briggs Mfg	14	29¼	28⅝	29¼	+ ⅛
Briggs & Strat	6	29¼	28⅝	28⅝	+ ⅛
Bristol-Myers	6	29¾	29¼	29¾	+ ⅛
Brown Un Gas	5	38⅛	38	38	— ⅛
Brown & Bige	16	12⅞	12⅝	12⅞	+ ⅛
Brown Shoe	3	40	40	40	
Brufus-Baker	35	22½	21¾	22½	+ 1⅛
Bucyrus-Erie	11	18½	18⅛	18⅛	— ⅛
Budd Co	225	12¾	12¼	12¾	+ ⅛
Bulova Watch	4	13⅞	13⅝	13⅞	+ ⅛
Burling Mills	43	18⅞	18⅞	18⅞	
Burr Add Mch	27	13⅜	13⅛	13⅜	+ ⅛
Bush Term	2	8¼	8¼	8¼	
Butler Bros	28	9¼	9¼	9¼	
Byers (AM)	2	20½	20½	20½	— ⅛
Byron Jackson	2	23	23	23	
CALIF PACK	3	36	35¾	35¾	— ¼
Callahan Z-Ld	8		1½	1½	
Calumet & Hec	2		3½	3½	
Campbell Wy	2		19½	19½	+ ½
Can Dry Ga Ale	52		14½	14½	+ ⅛
Canad Pacific	404		15½	15½	+ ⅛
Capital Adm A	1		16¾	16¾	
Capital Airl	7		3	3	
Carey P&L	17	32½	32½	32½	+ ⅛
Carrier Corp	22	18	17⅞	18	+ ⅛
Carrier Corp pf	2	36	36	36	— ⅛
Carriers & Gen	6	8	8	8	
Case (J I)	38	38¼	38	38¼	+ ⅛
Caterpil Tract	18	35	34½	35	+ ⅛
Celanese Corp	40	32	31½	31⅞	— ⅛
Celotex Corp	18	15½	15¼	15½	+ ⅛
Cent Aguirre	6	9	9	9	
Cent Foundry	8	9½	9	9⅜	
Cen Hud G&E	4	36¼	36¼	36¼	+ ⅛
Cen Ill Lt pf	3	36½	36½	36½	
Cent RR NJ A	12	9½	9½	9½	
Cent RR NJ B	1	12½	12½	12½	
Cent & SW	34	14¾	14¼	14⅜	
Cent Viol Sus	20	12⅝	12⅜	12⅝	+ ⅛
Cerro de Pas	20	19½	19	19	— ⅛
Certain-teed	21	15⅞	15⅝	15⅝	— ⅛
Checker Cab	1	8¼	8¼	8¼	
Ches & Ohio	56	28¼	28¼	28⅜	+ ⅛
Ches & Ohio pf	3	80½	80	80½	+ ¼
Chicago Corp	34	13⅝	13¼	13⅜	
Chi & E Ill	2	4¾	4¼	4¼	
Chi & E Ill A	10	9½	9¼	9¼	— ⅛
Chi Grt West	3	12½	12½	12½	— ⅛
Chi Grt W pf	10	18⅞	18½	18⅝	+ ⅛
Chi Ind & L	8	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	+ ⅛
Chi Ind & L pf	3	31¾	31¾	31¾	+ ⅛
Chi M SP&Pac	140	7¾	7	7¼	+ 1
Chi M SP&P pf	78	31¾	30⅝	31⅜	+ ⅛
Chi & NW	48	10⅜	10⅛	10¼	
Chi & NW pf	19	26⅜	25¾	26⅜	+ ⅛
Chi Pn T $3 pf		54	53¼	53¾	+ ⅛
Chi Rl&Pac	29	40	39	39¾	+ ⅛
Chi Rl&Pac pf	3	80¼	80	80¼	+ ¾
Childs Co	2	3⅜		3⅜	+ ⅛
Chrysler Corp	172	65⅞	64½	65⅞	+ ⅛
Cin G&E	59	31½	30½	31½	+ ⅛
Cin Mill Mch	7	28½	27¾	28½	+ ⅛
C. I. T. Finan	11	58¾	58	58¾	+ ¾
City Prod	2	33½	33	33½	+ ⅛
Clev El Illum	19	43½	43¼	43½	+ ⅛
Clev Graph Br	3	27⅞	27¼	27⅞	+ ⅛
Climax Molyb	11	13	12¾	12¾	
Clinton Fds	4	14¾	14¾	14¾	
Clinton Fds pf	130	103⅜	103⅜	103⅝	— ⅛
Clopay Corp	20	4⅛	4	4⅛	
Cluett Peabody	7	23¾	23¾	23⅞	— ⅛
Coca-Cola	1	166	166	166	+ 2
Colgate-Pim-P	9	42½	41¾	42½	+ ⅛
Collins & Aik	6	16¾	16⅜	16¾	+ ⅛
Colonial Mills	5	20½	20½	20½	+ ½
Col Fuel & Ir	29	15¼	14¾	15	
Col Br'cast A	11	27¼	26⅞	27⅛	+ ⅛
Col Br'cast B	4	27¼	27¼	27⅛	+ ⅛
Colum Gas	154	12⅞	12¼	12⅝	+ ⅛
Col Pict pf	1	63½	63½	63½	— ½
Colum Carbon	3	30⅝	30⅝	30⅝	
Col & So Oh El	14	19¾	19⅜	19⅝	— ⅛
Comb Eng Sup	9	26⅛	26	26⅛	+ ⅛
Comi Credit	3	59¼	59	59¼	+ ¼
Comi Solvents	12	18⅞	18⅝	18⅞	+ ⅛
Com'wlth Edis	25	29⅞	29⅝	29¾	
Conde Nast	6	9¾	9¾	9¾	
Congol-Nairn	2	27⅝	27⅜	27⅝	+ ⅛
Consol Cigar	7	33½	33¾	33¾	— ⅛
Cons Copperm	23	3½	3⅜	3⅜	— ⅛
Cons Edison	42	29	28¾	28¾	+ ⅛
Cons Edison pf	3	108¾	108¾	108¾	— ⅛
Cons Grocers	4	14½	13¾	14⅛	+ ⅛
Cons Laund	2	11	11	11	
Cons Nat Gas	5	43¼	42½	43	
Cons RRCubapf	5	16¼	15¾	16⅛	+ ⅛
Cons Ret Strs	1	10⅞	10⅞	10⅞	+ ⅛
Cons Textile	4	9¾	9½	9¾	+ ⅛
Cons Vultee	52	10⅞	10⅝	10⅝	+ ⅛
Consum Pow	12	33¾	33⅛	33⅜	+ ⅛
Container Corp	7	38	37⅞	37⅞	— ⅛
Cont Bak	2	16⅞	16⅝	16⅞	+ ⅛
Cont Can	34	36⅝	36	36¼	— ⅛
Cont Diam Fib	4	9⅛	8⅞	9	
Cont Ins	2	75½	75	75¼	+ ¼
Cont Motors	16	6¼	6	6¼	
Cont Oil Del	10	63¾	62¾	63½	+ 1
Cont Steel	1	12½	12½	12½	+ ⅛
Cooper-Bess	3	22	21¾	21¾	— ⅛
Copper Range	1	13	13	13	
Copperweld Stl	4	14⅞	14⅝	14⅞	+ ⅛
Corn Products	7	70½	70	70½	+ ¼
Cornell-Dub El	2	11	11	11	
Cornine Glass	2	29½	29½	29½	+ ⅛
Coty Inc	16	4¼	4	4¼	+ ⅛
Coty Internat	10	2	1⅞	1⅞	
Crane Co	12	28½	27¾	28¼	+ ⅜
Creameries Am	4	13⅜	13⅜	13⅜	
Cr Cork & S	27	17	16⅞	17	+ ⅛
Crown Ck pf	6	39	38⅝	38⅝	— ⅛
Crown Zeller	8	29½	29	29	— ⅛
Crucible Steel	9	16½	16⅛	16½	+ ⅛
Cuban-Am Sug	15	16½	15⅝	16⅛	+ ⅛
Cudahy Pack	18	7¾	7½	7¾	+ ⅛
Cuneo Press	2	11¾	11¾	11¾	+ ⅛
Curtis Publish	24	6⅞	6⅝	6⅞	+ ⅛
Curtiss-Wrht	69	7¾	7½	7¾	+ ⅛
Curtiss-Wr A	18	20⅜	20¼	20⅜	+ ⅛
Cutler-Ham	5	23¼	22¾	23¼	— ⅛
DANA CORP	22	14⅜	14⅛	14⅛	— ⅛
Davison Chem	13	22⅜	22	22⅜	+ ⅛
Dayton P&L	9	30⅝	30¼	30⅝	+ ⅛
Dayton Rub	6	10¼	10	10	— ⅛
Decca Records	60	9	8⅞	8⅞	
Deep Rock Oil	6	23½	23¼	23⅜	+ ⅛
Deere & Co	62	38¾	38	38½	
Del & Hudson	15	29¼	28¾	29½	+ ⅛
Del Lack & W	9	8¾	8¾	8¾	+ ⅛
Del P & Li	12	22½	22	22	+ ⅛
Den & RGW	3	28⅝	28½	28⅝	+ ⅛
D & RGW pf	8	50½	50¼	50⅝	+ ⅛
Derby Oil	7	13½	13	13½	+ ⅛
Detroit Edis	26	22	21⅞	22	
Devoe & R A	10	21	20¾	21	
Diamond Mat	3	38½	38¼	38½	+ ⅛
Diana Strs	3	8⅞	8⅞	8⅞	+ ⅛
Dist Corp-Seag	27	18½	18⅜	18½	+ ⅛
Divco Corp	4	12	12	12	+ ⅛
Dr Pepper	1	103¼	103¼	103¼	+ ¼
Doehler-Jarvis	18	37	37	37	+ ⅛
Dome Mines	10	14⅞	14⅜	14⅞	+ ⅛
Douglas Aircr	16	71¼	69	70¾	+ 1⅝
Dow Chem	34	54¾	54	54¾	+ ⅜
Dow Ch rt wi	488	13/64		13/64	
Dow Ch 2d pf	10	120¾	119¾	119¾	+ 1
Dresser Indust	8	17⅝	17⅜	17½	
Dunhill Int	2	20½	20½	20½	+ ⅛
Duplan Corp	4	13¾	13⅜	13⅜	— ⅛
du Pont de N	109	61¾	61	61⅝	+ 1⅛
du Pont pf	2	124	123½	124	+ ½
du Pont 3½ pf	2	102¾	102¾	102¾	
DWG Cigar	3	10	10	10	— ⅛
EAGLE-PICH	7	17¾	17¼	17¾	+ ⅛
Eastern Air L	55	14⅞	14	14⅝	— ⅛
Eastern Corp	3	13	13	13	
East S Stl	6	41	41	41	
Eastman Kod	23	45¾	45¼	45⅞	+ ⅛
Eaton Mfg	3	30¼	30	30	
Ekco Prod	17	30½	30	30⅛	+ ⅛
El-Hawaii S S	2	3¾	3¾	3¾	
El Auto-Lite	13	44¾	44¼	44½	
Elec Boat	45	17⅜	16¾	17⅜	+ ⅛
El Boat pf	2	8¾	8½	8⅝	+ ⅛
El & Mus Ind	2	34⅞	34⅞	34⅞	+ ⅛
El Stor Bat	2	41¾	41	41¾	
Elgin Nat Wat	2	12¾	12½	12¾	+ ⅛
Elliott Co	4	26⅛	26⅛	26⅛	+ ⅛
El Paso N Gas	14	27	27	27½	+ ⅛
Emerson El M	8	13	12¾	13	
Emer Rad&Ph	68	17⅜	16¾	17⅜	+ ⅛
Empire D El	2	17¾	17½	17¾	+ ⅛
Equit Off Bldg	3	17¾	17½	17¾	+ ⅛
Erie RR	23	10¼	10¼	10¼	+ ⅛
Erie R R pf A	12	53	52½	53	+ ⅛
Eureka Wms	8	5¼	5¼	5¼	
Evans Prod	8	8½	8⅜	8⅜	
Eversharp	17	6¾	6¾	6¾	+ ⅛
Ex-Cell-O	2	60⅜	60	60	— ⅛
FAIRBANKS M	1	39¾	39¾	39¾	+ ⅛
Fairbanks Morse	3	22	22	22	
Family Fin	1	14⅜	14⅜	14⅜	
F A Richard Liquid	32	11	11	11	
Fedders-Quig	13	15	14½	15	— ⅛
Fed Mot Truck	3	4¼	4¼	4¼	
Federal D Strs	8	34	33	33⅞	— ⅛
Fed & Tarr Mfg	10	11	11	11	
Ferro Enam	1	16½	16½	16½	— ⅛
Fid-P Fire Ins	2	78½	78½	78½	
Firestone T&R	12	52¼	51⅝	52	+ 1
First Nat Strs	7	67	67	67	
Firth Carpet	3	12⅜	12⅛	12⅜	+ ⅛
Flintkote	11	30¼	29¾	30¼	+ ⅛
Florence Stove	4	24	23¾	24	
Florida Pow	114	18	17⅞	17⅞	— ⅛
Follansbee Stl	18	11¾	11½	11⅝	— ⅛
Food Fair Strs	22	14¼	13¾	14¼	+ ⅛
Food Mach	7	27⅜	27	27⅜	+ ⅛
Foster Wheeler	31	32¾	31¾	32¾	+ 1⅛
Francisco Sug	4	9⅛	9	9	
Freeport Sulph	5	58¾	58¼	58¾	+ ⅛
Fruehauf C & M	5	17	16¾	17	
Fruehauf Tra	15	21¾	21½	21¾	+ ⅛
GABRIEL CO	3	5¾	5¾	5¾	+ ⅛
Gair (Rob)	16	7¼	7⅛	7¼	+ ⅛
Gamble-Skog	6	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛	
Gardner-Den	3	18⅛	18	18⅛	+ ⅛
Garrett Corp	8	15¾	15¾	15¾	+ ⅛
Gar Wood Ind	8	4¼	4¼	4¼	
Gaylord Cont	1	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛	
Gen Am Invest	32	18⅛	18	18	
Gen Am Trans	8	46½	45¾	46½	+ 1
Gen Baking	8	10⅜	10¼	10⅜	+ ⅛
Gen Cable	15	8	8	8	
Gen Elec	87	41¾	41½	41⅝	
Gen Foods	13	48	47½	47¾	
Gen Foods pf	2	100½	100½	100½	
Gen Instrument	14	8¾	8⅝	8⅝	— ⅛
Gen Mills	8	56	55¾	55¾	— ⅛
Gen Motors pf 3¾ pf		111½	111	111½	+ ½
Gen Motors	71	70¼	69¾	70	+ ⅛
Gen Mot 3¾ pf	1	103¾	103¾	103¾	+ ¼
Gen Port Cem	29	12¾	12½	12¾	+ ⅛
Gen Proc Eq	8	13¾	13¾	13¾	+ ⅛
Gen Pub Serv	2	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	
Gen Pub Util	95	16½	16⅛	16⅛	— ⅛
Gen Ry Signal	11	36½	36	36⅛	— ⅛
Gen Realty&Util	36	6¾	6⅝	6⅝	— ⅛
Gen Refract	2	23½	23¼	23½	+ ⅛
Gen Shoe	4	23¾	23½	23½	+ ⅛
Gen Tel	8	29¼	29¼	29¼	+ ⅛
Gen Tire & Rub	5	19	18⅞	19	+ ⅛
Ga-Pac Plyb	22	9¾	9¾	9¾	— ⅛
Gillette Saf R	14	33¾	33¾	33¾	
Gimbel Bros	7	33¾	33¼	33¼

His Yule Charity

Ex-Prisoner Pays $615 to Free Others



The Washington Post
LeROY WESTBURY
Occoquan's Santa Claus

Santa Claus came early this year for a dozen inmates of Occoquan.

The Santa is LeRoy Westbury, 50, a captain of Government public building guards, who yesterday left the workhouse after a 20-day term for being drunk.

His charity so far has cost him $615, he said, and there's more to come.

Westbury, a gray-haired, one-armed World War I veteran, told reporters this story:

"I found out there were a number of deserving citizens serving terms and I decided to do something about it. After all, I'm not exactly poor. I make $3700 a year working for PBA and have a Government pension of $148 a month. I decided to do something about the others."

The money he has spent has gone to pay fines, help out indigent prisoners and for fees to his attorney.

Gregory Shahinian

Funeral services for Gregory Shahinian, 54, Armenian interpreter with the Treasury Department, who died Wednesday at his home, 2402 Pennsylvania ave. nw., will be held at 3 p. m. Monday at the Joseph W. Bliley funeral home, Richmond, Va.

Mr. Shahinian, a native of Turkey and a veteran of the French and American armies, was butler to the late Secretary of War Dwight Davis; former Undersecretary of Commerce Wayne Chatfield Taylor and other Washingtonians before going to work for the Treasury Department in 1938. He is survived by a cousin, Paul Shahinian, in Washington, and others in Richmond.

Jane Bancroft Of Wall Street Journal, Dies

1949
Mrs. Bancroft

Boston, Dec. 22 (AP).—Mrs. Jane W. Bancroft, once noted sportswoman and principal owner of Dow-Jones & Co., Inc., publishers of the Wall Street Journal, died last night. She was 72 years old.

Mrs. Bancroft took control of the news and publishing activities of Dow-Jones after the death of her husband, Hugh Bancroft, in 1933.

The firm was headed by her stepfather, the late Clarence W. Barron, until his death in 1928.

At one time Mrs. Bancroft owned a string of show horses and sailed and raced yachts.

A keen student of music, she was awarded the Order of Leopold by Belgium for her interest in Belgian carillon music.

She was a subscriber to the Boston Symphony Orchestra from the age of 14 and also was a guarantor of the Metropolitan Opera Company of New York.

She leaves a son, Hugh Bancroft, jr., and two daughters, Mrs. William C. Cox and Mrs. Edwin L. Steele, and a stepdaughter, Mrs. Mary Bancroft.

D. L. Staley Dies; Unemployment Pay Office Chief

Baltimore, Dec. 22 (AP).—D. Lee Staley, manager of the Unemployment Compensation Division office in Hagerstown, died today in University Hospital.

The 65-year-old native of Washington County entered the hospital December 17 for a brain tumor operation.

Mr. Staley's hobby was baseball, which he played himself in the South Atlantic League after graduation from St. John's College in Annapolis.

He was on the arbitration board of the Blue Ridge League and secretary of the Field Athletic Association in Hagerstown. He formed the Washington County Baseball League in 1931.

Mr. Staley was a former tax collector for Hagerstown. He lived for many years in Colorado and was treasurer of Hinsdale County there. He was a member of Zion Reformed Church, Masons and Elks.

Survivors include his widow and two children, Mrs. Lloyd Miller of Hagerstown and Navy Lieut. Lee Staley, jr. Funeral services will be held at 3 p. m. Saturday in Zion Reformed Church, Hagerstown.

Mrs. Louisa Kellems

Eugene, Oreg., Dec. 22 (U.P.)—Mrs. Louisa Kellems, 78, mother of Vivien Kellems, Connecticut industrialist and sharp critic of the Democratic Administration, died in a hospital here today.

CRASH—From Page B-1

Airliner Veered, Then Stalled

descend," the only surviving crew member said.

"It was cloudy, couldn't see very much, dark and misty, those were the conditions," he continued. "At times you could see lights, but not identify them. For two or three minutes I felt the aircraft going from side to side, as if following instructions. There was a slight turn to the right, followed by a sharp turn to the left and we broke out of the clouds.

"The river was visible beneath us. We started to climb at this point. And one or both engines started sputtering. I believe the pilot applied power. The aircraft was shuddering all over. I noticed both flaps were down, and the ailerons were working violently. Then suddenly we fell off to the left. The next thing I knew I was standing on the wing."

Hensley told much the same story. He said he boarded the plane at Norfolk.

"The engines seemed normal during the letdown, but it seemed we came down fast. My ears were popping. Then the engines raced. The plane shuddered and we hit the water. I helped get some of the passengers out."

Experts Call It a Stall

He said he was sitting in the rear seat on the left side of the plane, on the aisle.

Aviation experts said after the hearing that the two men "gave a marvelous description of a stall."

Early in the hearing a Capital agent at Newport News, Va., where the plane stopped briefly, said flight 500 had left Newport News 3000 pounds heavier than the gross weight listed on the flight form in Captain Davis' possession.

This error, caused by a faulty mechanical computer, according to Agent Lee G. Rainey, had nothing to do with the crash, members of the panel said after the hearing recessed until this morning.

The plane was actually 140 pounds above gross take-off weight allowable for a DC-3, they said, but the plane's center of gravity was within allowable limits at that time. Since the plane burned approximately 900 pounds of gasoline from Newport News to Washington, its gross weight was within allowable limits at the time of the crash.

Rainey testified the error occurred in computing passenger weight.

"We allow 165 pounds per passenger and there were 20 passengers. That should have given us a passenger weight of 3300 pounds. But in the computer only the second three registered. So we recorded a gross passenger weight of 300 pounds instead of 3300."

Capital operations personnel testified the plane had received up-to-date weather information along its route. And weather officials testified they had supplied up-to-date weather information to Capital and to Norfolk airport.

Five CAB air safety investigator and accident analysts will testify this morning, when the hearing resumes at 9 a. m. in the Board Room of the District Building.

National Weather Summary

Washington Area—Some rain in early morning, followed by partly cloudy, rather windy and turning colder. Considerably colder tonight. Saturday—Fair and cold.

Maryland and Virginia—Partial clearing and turning colder, preceded by some rain in east portion this morning. Considerably colder tonight. Saturday—Fair and cold.

Winds—Shifting to northwest, 15-25 mph.

Visibility—Good.

Departures from normal—Accumulated excess of temperature since January 1, 1949, 1412 degrees. Excess since December 1, 1949, 90 degrees. Accumulated deficiency of precipitation since January 1, 1949, 2.21 inches. Accumulated deficiency since December 1, 1949, 1.25 inches. Temperature one year ago today—High, 62; low, 34.

Sun, moon, tides, river (EST)—Sun rises 7:24 a. m., sets 4:50 p. m. Moon rises 10:40 a. m., sets 9:01 p. m. Tides—High, 10:38 a. m. and 10:51 p. m.; low, 6:07 a. m. and 5:19 p. m. (Coast and Geodetic Survey). Potomac River clear at Great Falls (United States Engineers).

Temperature	High	Low	Prec.
Abilene	43	27	...
Albany	39	44	...
Albuquerque	52	19	...
Alpena	43	33	.21
Asheville	58	52	.02
Atlanta	61	55	.22
Atlantic City	64	45	.02
Baltimore	40	15	...
Billings	23	6	.82
Birmingh	63	—10	...
Bismarck	2	—10	...
Boise	36	26	...
Boston	61	50	...
Brownsville	61	56	...
Buffalo	50	30	...
Burlington	36	44	.04
Charleston	73	56	...
Charlotte	60	56	.83
Chattanooga	29	6	...
Cheyenne	31	13	.32
Chicago	32	25	.28
Cincinnati	56	41	.01
Cleveland	64	48	.01
Columbus	61	48	.01
Dallas	43	28	...
Denver	38	7	...
Des Moines	17	15	.19
Detroit	55	37	.48
Duluth	4	—4	...
El Paso	45	25	...
Fort Worth	44	27	...
Galveston	54	44	.04
Harrisburg	44	39	...
Houston	51	39	.01
Huron	6	—2	.01
Indianapolis	40	32	.01
Jackson	48	39	.62
Jacksonville	75	58	...
Kansas City	26	17	.06
Key West	79	68	.03
Knoxville	64	53	.59
Little Rock	35	29	.24
Los Angeles	67	42	...
Louisville	51	41	.14
Memphis	41	35	.51
Meridian	50	46	.75
Miami	76	67	.02
Milwaukee	31	28	.17
Minn.-St. Paul	9	5	...
Mobile	72	50	.76
Montgomery	68	58	.34
Nashville	50	48	.31
New Orleans	68	60	.37
New York	62	49	...
Norfolk	73	57	.08
Oklahoma City	33	22	...
Omaha	20	14	.03
Philadelphia	62	38	...
Phoenix	66	39	...
Pittsburgh	57	33	.01
Portland, Me.	37	45	...
Portland, Oreg.	48	45	.06
Raleigh	70	53	...
Reno	46	14	...
Richmond	72	48	...
St. Louis	46	25	.13
Salt Lake City	26	20	...
San Antonio	53	37	...
San Francisco	58	48	...
Savannah	73	56	...
Seattle	47	38	.01
Shreveport	44	31	.06
Tampa	80	60	...
Vicksburg	48	38	.32
Washington	46	48	...
Wichita	28	15	.01
Wilmington	74	52	.10

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LEGAL NOTICES 4

OFFICE OF THE FIREMEN'S INSURANCE COMPANY OF WASHINGTON AND GEORGETOWN, 303 7th St. N.W., Washington, D. C. The stockholders of the Firemen's Insurance Company of Washington and Georgetown will meet at the office of the company on MONDAY, January 2, 1950, for the purpose of electing thirteen directors for the ensuing year. Polls open from 11 a. m. to 12 noon. V. MANNING HOFFMAN, Secretary. Dec.19,20,21,22,23,24,25,26,27,28, 29,30,31,Jan.1.

DAVID L. RIORDAN, Attorney, Woodward Building.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT for the District of Columbia, holding Probate Court. No. 73890. Administration. This is to give notice that the subscribers, of the District of Columbia, have obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia, letters testamentary on the estate of Alfe O. Westfall, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscribers on or before the 9TH DAY OF MAY, A. D. 1950; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under our hands this 6th day of December, 1949. HARRY H. KERR, 1744 N Street N.W.; DION K. KERR, Warrenton, Pa.; CHICHESTER C. KERR, Llewellyn Park, West Orange, N. J., and AMERICAN SECURITY AND TRUST COMPANY, By WM. S. FRENCH, JR., Assistant Trust Officer. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. Dec.9,16,23

LEON TOBRINER, WALTER N. TOBRINER, FREDERICK G. UMHAU, WALTER G. M. FIELDS, Attorneys, 925 Southern Building.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT for the District of Columbia, holding Probate Court. No. 74222. Administration. This is to give notice that the subscriber, of the State of Maryland, has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia, ancillary letters testamentary on the estate of John C. Ward, late of the State of Maryland, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 2ND DAY OF JUNE, A. D. 1950; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefits of said estate. Given under my hand this 2nd day of December, 1949. JOHN C. WARD, JR., 1907 Ingraham St., Avondale Terrace, Hyattsville, Md. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. Dec.9,16,23

EARL G. JONSCHER, Attorney, 730 18th St. N.W.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT for the District of Columbia, holding Probate Court. No. 73623. Administration. This is to give notice that the subscribers, of the District of Columbia, the State of Virginia and the State of New Jersey, respectively, have obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia, letters testamentary on the estate of Laurie J. Kerr, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscribers on or before the 9TH DAY OF APRIL, A. D. 1950; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under our hands this 5th day of December, 1949. HARRY H. KERR, 1744 N Street N.W.; DION K. KERR, Warrenton, Pa.; CHICHESTER C. KERR, Llewellyn Park, West Orange, N. J., and AMERICAN SECURITY AND TRUST COMPANY. By WM. S. FRENCH, JR., Assistant Trust Officer. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. Dec.9,16,23

BIDS AND PROPOSALS 6

WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION
CONTRACT NO. 718-W&S
WATER MAIN AND SEWER CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing in Claymore Ave., Rosemary Lane and Wells Blvd., Ashland Subdivision, Riggs Mill District, approximately 150 feet of 6-inch, 100 feet of 8-inch and 225 feet of 10-inch cast iron water mains and 135 feet of 6-inch, 1200 feet of 8-inch plain concrete or vitrified sewer pipe, will be received at the office of the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission, Hamilton St., Hyattsville, Md., until Tuesday, December 27, 1949, at 2:20 p. m., Eastern Standard Time, at which place and time they will be publicly opened and read. Plans and specifications may be obtained from the office of the Chief Engineer of the Commission, Hyattsville, Md., upon deposit of $5.00, which deposit will be returned to bidders or to those returning plans and specifications in good condition. DWIGHT B. GALT, WARREN BROWNING, LELAND G. WORTHINGTON, Commissioners. Dec.16,23.

WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION, Contract No. 719-W&S, Water main and sewer construction. Sealed proposals for constructing in Henderson and Harris Avenues, Ivanhoe and Garner Streets, Wheatoncrest, Glenmont District, approximately 950 feet of 6-inch, 1900 feet of 8-inch and 1185 feet of 12-inch cast iron water mains and 804 feet of 6-inch and 2506 feet of 8-inch plain concrete or vitrified pipe sewers, will be received at the office of the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission, Hamilton Street, Hyattsville, Maryland, until Wednesday, January 4, 1950, at 2:10 p. m., Eastern Standard Time, at which place and time they will be publicly opened and read. Plans and specifications may be obtained from the office of the Chief Engineer of the Commission, Hyattsville, Maryland, upon deposit of $5.00, which deposit will be returned to bidders or to those returning plans and specifications in good condition. DWIGHT B. GALT, WARREN BROWNING, LELAND G. WORTHINGTON, Commissioners. Dec.23.29

GOVERNMENT DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, Director of Construction, D. C., Washington, December 23, 1949—Sealed proposals will be received in Room 309, District Building, 14th Street and Pennsylvania Avenue nw., Washington 4, D. C., until 2 o'clock p. m., Eastern standard time, JANUARY 26, 1950, and then publicly opened and read, for construction of Joel Elias Spingarn Senior High School, on north side of Benning Road ne., between 24th and 26th streets, including elevator and fixed equipment. Contents, approximately 3,782,000 cubic feet. Drawings and specifications may be obtained in Room 427, District Building (telephone NAtional 6000, Extension 2378), upon deposit of certified check in the amount of Fifty Dollars ($50.00), made payable to the Collector of Taxes, D. C., for each set, to insure their return in good order. Dec. 23,24,27,28,29,30.

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Terms: Sold subject to a prior deed of trust for $6,000.00, further particulars of which will be announced at time of sale; the purchase price above said trust to be paid in cash. A deposit of $500.00 required. Conveyancing, recording, etc., at purchaser's cost. Terms to be complied with within thirty days, otherwise deposit forfeited and the property may be advertised and resold at the discretion of the trustees.

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Dec.23,27,29,31,Jan.4. Trustees.

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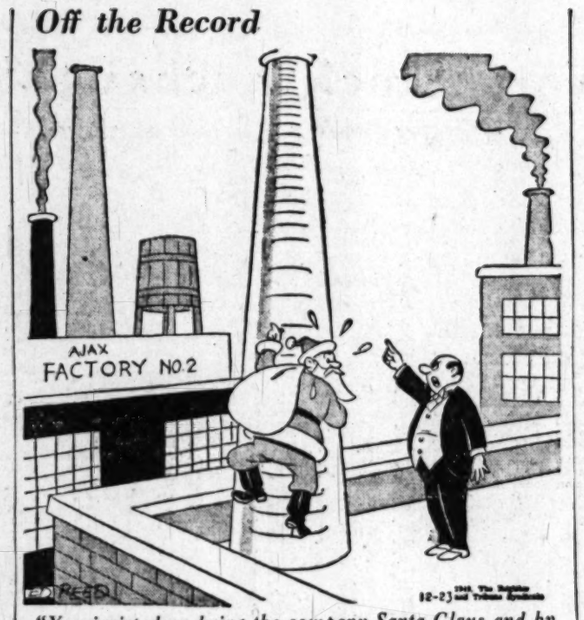

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LOST 10

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BILLFOLD, red Italian tooled leather, lost in Wed. afternoon, containing about $58; sub. reward. LI. 3-4946.

BILLFOLD, coin purse, red leather; containing money and Army identification; vic. 16th and Oak sts. nw., Monday, 19th. Reward. CO. 6117.

CHAIN for pocket watch, Wednesday morning, vic. 8th and Penn. ave. Reward. WI. 2606.

COCKER SPANIEL, black, male. Call EM. 0613.

COCKER PUPPY—3 mos., honey colored; lost in vicinity Conn. ave. and Rosemary st., Chevy Chase, Md. Reward. Call OL. 6408.

FOX TERRIER, in the vicinity of Hyattsville. Sunday; white with black spots; male; answers to the name of "Fluffy." Reward. Phone [illegible].

PIN, turquoise and gold, lost Wednesday, Dix section. Reward. MI. 7968.

REWARD for return of Shetland sheep dog (very small collie), female (probably now in season). Light golden and white. Disappeared Nov. 13 from 1510 34th st. nw. Cash or her AKC reg. male puppy. AD. 0098.

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Must sell immediately this prewar-built det. brick home with 6 large rms., tile bath, att. garage, on a level lot; in Edgemoor; conv. to all schools and shopping. Only $16,950 and this house is in immaculate condition. Call ME. 1443 until 9 p. m.
J. WESLEY BUCHANAN, Realtor.

SEASON'S GREETINGS
Robert S. Davis & Co.
Hyattsville, Md.

ENGLISH VILLAGE
Beautiful stone front home on large level lot, 140x180. Consists of 7 rooms and 3 baths plus maid's room, large recreation room. First-floor screened porch, garage. One of the finest homes in the Bethesda area. Be sure to see it.
P. A. TWEED CO.
5504 Conn. Ave. N.W.
EM. 1290 'til 9 P. M.

Futuristic Brick Ramblers
FHA-VA approved. $12,725 up. Beamed ceiling in living room, wall-to-wall brick fireplace. Truly a dream house. Model home open 11 till 9 p. m. To reach: Out Georgia ave. 2½ miles past District line to Evans dr., left 2 blocks. RE. 6650.
Colonial Investment Co.

NO DOWN PAYMENTS to vets, Silver Spring area, immediate occupancy; 5-room bungalow with full basement, in Wheaton Hill subdivision; only 2 left. EX. 8707.

G.I.—No down payment, $48 mo. Bungalow, Capital Hts. Nice lot. Close to bus and school. RE. 2735. Shertzer. CH. 5439.

THIS unusually attractive rambler, with 3 bedrooms, lovely wooded, landscaped lot, near transportation, priced at only $12,500 for quick sale. Exceptional terms. Immediate possession. SH. 1011 till 9 p. m.
YOUNG & BOWERS CO.

A REAL BUY
CHEVY CHASE—$16,750
3-BEDROOM BRICK—3 YRS. OLD
C. ALLEN SHERWIN, INC., EM. 4450

MERRY CHRISTMAS
For a happy new year in a new house, Call
ALLIED REALTY CORP., WI. 6640

SALE, SUBURB, HOUSES 67

VIRGINIA

ALEXANDRIA
BEVERLEY HILLS
A home of the finest construction is now being offered for sale in this choice location. 3 twin-size bedrooms, living room, dining room, equipped kitchen, screened porch, recreation room with fireplace, sun deck, level lot. Priced right.
HUBBARD REALTY CO.
OV. 6549. OV. 1946.

ARLINGTON
SEASON'S GREETINGS
FROM
Real Estate Service, Inc.

SNUG BUNGALOW
N. Arlington location, near bus. This Cape Cod is vacant and in immaculate condition. 1st floor, bedroom or den, living room with fireplace, separate dining room and completely equipped kitchen; upstairs are 2 master bedrooms and tiled bath; nice light basement, auto. oil hot-water heat; large rear porch; beautiful woodwork and floors. Should go GI at $13,950. Call OW. 9090.

Attractive Neighborhood
This "striking home" will please the eye and warm your heart. Ample windows create a light of "homey atmosphere." All rooms lend themselves either to large colonial furniture or the more modern types; 1st floor lavatory; equipped kitchen and rear porch. Basement finished into 2 rooms. Upstairs are 3 bedrooms that are really twin-sized. Wardrobe type linen closets, tiled bath and extra storage space. An easy, convenient, built-in garage. Priced to sell at $17,500. Call OW. 9090.

Christmas Enchantment
A large, attractive red brick colonial, with 12x20 side screened porch and built-in garage. A gracious home with very large rooms, all attractively decorated. Basement finished with fireplace suitable for rumpus room or extra living space. Equipped kitchen. Second floor has 3 bedrooms and tiled bath; stairway to storage attic. A real home for real people. Inspection invited by calling OW. 9090.

SO BEAUTIFUL
SO STURDY
SO PRACTICAL
SO OUTSTANDING
Suburban brick, 6-room rambler, on ½-acre lot; attractive recessed entrance, colonial wood-burning fireplace, separate dining room and lots of gleaming kitchen cabinets; 3 nice bedrooms and tiled bath. Exceptionally large basement and storage attic. If you like, we'll try it GI at only $15,950. Inspect before Christmas.
HAPPY NEW YEAR
FROM
Real Estate Service, Inc.
Lee Hwy. at Glebe Rd. OW. 9090.

LEESBURG PIKE
16 miles to D. C.; built in the late 1700s, graciously restored; 3 large bedrooms, 5 other rooms, 5 fireplaces, modern equipped kitchen; 5 acres with an intriguing old ruin. Priced below market. Shown by appointment. Exclusive with
L. McGEE KING, GL. 5273. CH. 5508

BRADDOCK HEIGHTS
2-story brick Colonial complete with knotty pine recreation room, carpets from wall to wall in living room, dining room, stairs and upstairs hall. Large kitchen, completely equipped; 3 bedrooms. Beautiful fenced-in backyard. Reasonably priced for quick sale. Walking distance to public and parochial schools. See this house for Christmas bargain!
HICKS REALTY CO.
REALTORS
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FOR SERVICE TO ARMED SERVICES CALL OFFICES OF
Maj. Gen. D. R. Nimmer, USMC (Ret.)
Handling VA.-D.C.-MD. Properties
OV. 6413, AL. 4925. Eves., TE. 0504.

SWEDISH BRICK TYPE
Unusual home with distinct lines and charm. Very lge. master b. r. with pvt. tile bath, 2 other bedrms. and tile bath; att. gar.; full bsmt., oil heat; large lot. Decorated in the nicest taste. An outstanding below-market offering at $16,950.
THE BRANT COMPANY
2334 Wilson. GL. 4216, OX. 0520.

THERE'S STILL TIME
to start the New Year in a home of your own. See 806 10th st., Alex., Va. Cape Cod det. brick, 6 rms. (28-ft. living rm. with fireplace), oil burner, fireplace, side drive garage; excellent condition; owner buying larger home.
L. T. GRAVATTE
1518 K St. N.W. Realtor NA. 0753

FOR RELIABLE, experienced service call
EDWARDS REALTY
KE. 3-5855. CH. 4733.

THINK OF THISI
Within a stone's throw of Belle Haven Country Club. A well-built ½-story Cape Cod, containing attractive living room with fireplace, panelled door leading to screened porch, ample size dining room, kitchen and laundry on first floor. 2 large bedrooms, tile bath on 2nd floor. Near golf course, on well shrubbed, shady lot. Garage. Oil hot-water heat. Bus ½ block. Only $12,950. Convenient terms can be arranged.
HICKS REALTY CO.
REALTORS
AL. 1600. Eves., TE. 0933 or 4783.

3 BEDRMS., 1½ baths; h.-w. h.; $12,950.
FA. 2976

NEW ENGLAND
Brought to Va. white clapboard, green shutters, dormer windows, 12x15 bedrm. and ½ tile bath down; 2 lge. bedrms. and tile bath up; 16-ft. liv. rm. and firepl., 9x12 din. rm., 9x11 kit., full bsmt., oil heat; appealing and picturesque and should go GI at the low price of $13,250.
THE BRANT COMPANY
2334 Wilson. GL. 4216, OX. 0520.

SPECIAL SALE—No. 172. Attractive Cape Cod bungalow; 3 or 4 bedrms. ½ A. Appraised $12,500, GI. May take less. Marcum Realty, KI. 8-5600.

SALE, SUBURB, HOUSES 67

VIRGINIA

BRICK BUNGALOW
$1000 cash will purchase this brick bungalow; has living room-dining room combination, 2 bedrooms, tiled bath; expansion second floor; full basement; gas a.-c. heat.
SEWELL REALTY CO.
14 So. Glebe Rd. (at Lee Blvd.)
OX. 0217. GLebe 1878 'til 9 p. m.

A Christmas Miracle
It would be for you to have time to look at houses now, but if you do call us except Christmas Day and we'd be glad to serve you. Meanwhile a Merry Christmas to you!
J. FULLER GROOM REALTY
OX. or CH. 4487.

CHOICE VA. HOMES
ENZOR REALTY CO.
CH. 1000. OX. 2234.

N. C. GROVES
BROKER OF BETTER HOMES
OT. 7983.

SEASON'S GREETINGS
FROM
M. T. Broyhill & Sons, Inc.
Realtors, Builders & Developers
4624 LEE HWY., ARLINGTON, VA.
JA. 4-1300

JOY TO THE WORLD
My house is here, yes sir. 3-bedroom bungalow: liv. rm. with fireplace; nice screen front porch, 2 bedrooms and bath, dinette, equipped kit., full basement, automatic heat; also a third bedroom that will knock your eyes out; priced under $13,000. If you are a veteran you will be amazed. Call any time to be the first in line. This is a buy you will realize for a long long time.
RAMBLER, DE LUXE
Charming, beautiful, spacious! Immaculate adjectives just will not describe this three-bedroom brick rambler, located 10 minutes from Pentagon on ¼ acre, close to school, shopping and bus; Magnificent liv. rm. approximately 14x20 with mirrored mantels, fireplace, dining area off living room; excellent equipped kit., utility rm. with Bendix; bedrooms approximately 11x15, 11x13 and 10x12 with spacious sliding-door closets; parquet floors, gas, air-conditioned heat; the perfect home for the meticulous buyer; well-financed; only $18,250.
Rudolph, the Red, Red Nose Reindeer
It's a dear red brick home consisting of 5 lovely immaculate rooms plus tile bath, equipped kit., full basement with recreation rm.; excellent close-in location near country club; attractive corner lot; GI approved. $12,500; as little as $500 cash might handle to a veteran.
SMALL ESTATE
2½ acres, just 25 minutes to Pentagon, lovely 2-bedroom bungalow with large liv. rm., din. rm., nicely equipped kit., 2-car garage, plenty of trees; 15x35 chicken house, elect. brooder and 65 good laying hens; all this for $8500. Hurry, this kind of bargain goes quickly.
WHITE CHRISTMAS
This white Christmas special is reminiscent of Bing's White Christmas song—a hit from the very first. the impression that lasts. De luxe white brick Colonial home located in fashionable Lyon Village; 3 gracious bedrooms and 2 tile baths, disappearing stairway to attic; bedroom or den on first floor, charming liv. rm. with black marble fireplace; formal dining room, equipped kit. and breakfast nook, partly enclosed porch, rear screened porch, full basement with maid's room and bath; 1-car attached garage; real buy. $26,500.
ARLINGTON REALTY CO.
2204 WILSON BLVD. OW. 9300

AL BAKER & SON, INC.
116 S. St. Asaph St., Alex., Va.
TE. 7343. AL. 6644, 9 till 9.

OUR 24 YRS. experience is yours by calling Keith D. Brumback, CH. 3527, CH. 5873.

HOLIDAY GREETINGS
J. WESLEY BUCHANAN
CH. 1341. OW. 3007.

Romye Lamborn, Realtor
OT. 8586. OT. 8035.

Curtis E. Martin, Realtors
120 S. Royal St., Alex., Va.
TE. 0233. AL. 6815.

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For this opportunity to express our appreciation and extend
SEASON'S GREETINGS
with cordial wishes for your Success and Happiness in the years ahead.
YEONAS REALTY
ARLINGTON, VA.

2 Weeks' Possession
$3,300 cash and $71.25 per month includes taxes and insurance; an immaculate (repeat) immaculate home; brick; featuring 19-ft. living room with fireplace, dining room, table-size kitchen with electric range and GE refrigerator, 2 real bedrooms; one 19 ft. long; full basement; Anchor fenced wooded lot. You owe it to yourself to see this home. Call 9 'til 9.
LURIA BROS.
2300 Wilson Blvd.

APPROPRIATE XMAS GIFT
RAMBLER, $13,700
Attractive well-constructed home and garage. The best buy today! Contains nice living-dining room with fireplace and picture windows, 2 lge. bedrooms, tile bath, de luxe kit., sliding door closets and oak floors. Hurry, won't last long.
CAPUTI REALTY CO.
121 S. Wash. St. Phone FA. 1413

WRITER'S PARADISE
Very large wooded lot. Offering absolute privacy. Cozy living rm. with fireplace with rafter type beam ceiling, 1 bedroom and ebony tiled bath. Kitchen and dinette. Stairway to usable attic. Basement with auto. heat. Should sell at once at $9950 with $7400 4% loan.
THE BRANT COMPANY
2334 Wilson. GL. 4216, OX. 0520

IDEALLY LOCATED
3-bedroom, 1½-bath 1-year-old brick home, 1 minute from shopping center, school, churches and the Shirley Highway, 10 minutes from Pentagon, but on quiet residential street.
Terms to suit qualified purchaser. Shown by appointment only.
Nimmer Real Estate Services
108 N. Patrick St., Alexandria, Va.
OV. 6413, AL. 4925. Eves., TE. 0504.

IF IT'S RAMBLERS
IF IT'S VIRGINIA
IF IT'S REAL ESTATE
NATURALLY IT'S
ARLINGTON REALTY CO.
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HOME AND INCOME
Det. home with 2 separate apts., originally so designed. Each apt. has 2 bedrms., liv. rm. with firepl., din. rm., kit., tile bath and back porch. Separate entrances. Bus in front of house; shopping, 1 block; school, 2 blocks. Perfect rental location.
MANNAS REALTY CO.
2116 Wilson Blvd. GL. or OX. 2784.

BRICK, bungalow. No. 130: $1000 down, total price, $8500; sitting on a ¾-acre lot. Living room with fireplace, 2 bedrooms, auto. oil heat. J. T. MOTON REALTY, 2418 Mt. Vernon ave., Alex., Va. OV. 5900. 9 'til 9.

CONVENIENT
Near Ft. Myer. A large 3-bedrm. home with an 18-ft. den, large living room, dining room and equipped kitchen; full basement with game room and attached garage; lovely wooded lot. GI-approved, at $17,500. Excellent terms to nonvets. Call 9 'til 9.
LURIA BROS.
2300 Wilson Blvd. OW. 8500

NO MONEY DOWN
GI
Approximately $70 Monthly
3-Bedroom Bungalow
Near Schools., Stores, Bus
YEONAS REALTY
GL. 2100 OX. 1243

HOUSE AND A GARDEN
L-shaped brick rambler, set in garden with fishpond, surrounded by brick wall; picket fence, ebony Carrara glass fireplace, with floor-to-ceiling mirror and bookshelves; attached garage; entrance hall, radiant heat, parquet floors, storm windows, Bendix Norge refrigerator, electric range; living-dining room combination, 3 bedrooms, tile bath; landscaped 10,000-ft. lot. An absolute bargain at $16,500. Should go GI.
THE BRANT COMPANY
2334 Wilson. GL. 4216, OX. 0520.

SALE, OUT-OF-TOWN 68

FLORIDA

SARASOTA
THIS IS IT
A modern rambler, 2 acres of wonderful land, space for orange trees, garden and chickens, fishing, sunshine the year around, adjoining the city limit of Sarasota, distant 3½ miles from central business district. If this is your idea of retirement on limited capital, we have it. The Van Dame estate is being subdivided in 2-acre tracts, and you can buy your land and build later, or we will submit plans for immediate building. There are over 80 Washingtonians here now, 91 Army and Navy personnel. Write or telephone Mr. Doyle for descriptive literature. State soil reports and actual photographs. Sold on a money-back guarantee, if upon investigation you are not satisfied.
JOHN C. WRIGHT, INC.
2030 N. 16th St., Arl. OW. 8508.

REAL ESTATE WANTED 69

I PAY CASH FOR HOUSES OR LOTS. Free appraisal. Scott Sanders, 8121 Macarthur blvd. OR. 5678.

FARMS, LAND, SALE 70

VIRGINIA

$250 DOWN AND $45 MO.
5-ROOM BUNGALOW ON ½ ACRE
$4,750
Built 3 years. Running water, electricity installed. Walking distance shopping center. Excellent school facilities. Only 21 miles D. C. If you want to buy a home that is worth the money come prepared. This won't last.
R. C. PRINTZ
Herndon, Va. Herndon 69.

FARM containing 100 acres, more or less; 40 acres clear, grazing or farming; bal. woodland; stream runs through place; never-failing spring. 7-rm. frame house, all necessary outbuildings. Electricity nearby. Ideal summer home, 7 mi. from Luray, Va., in foothills of Blue Ridge Mts., just off Lee hwy.; bounded by Shenandoah National Park on 3 sides. Priced right. John D. Sours, Luray, Va.

LOTS FOR SALE 73

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Several Desirable Homesites
American Univ. Pk., D. C.
Hawthorne, D. C.
Brookdale, Md.
Lux Manor, Md.
Glen Echo Heights, Md.
A. D. CRUMBAUGH
4906 Wis. Ave., Realtor WO. 1-3-6-4

CONN. AVE. LOCATION (drive 1 blk. east to Conn. ave. on Fessenden st. to 34th st. nw. to our signs). Several beautiful rambler and homesites. Representative on grounds, 12 to 3 p. m. SHAPIRO, INC., ME. 1717, GL. 2400.

VIRGINIA

BELLEVUE FOREST—Nearby Arlington; wooded lots, nr. the extension of the George Washington Memorial pkwy. now being complete along river's edge. George Mason Green Co., CH. 3838. Eves. and Sun., GL. 3838.

ACREAGE, SALE 75

VIRGINIA

HOMESITES—$500 to $950; all wooded, on State road; 10 minutes from Shirley hwy.; easy terms; Mason Hirst, Annandale, Va. Phone FA. 7447. Closed Sundays.

DOGS, PETS, KENNELS 76

BEAGLES, small type, puppies, 6 wks. old, $7.50. LI. 3-6787.

BOXERS—The ideal Christmas gift; puppies and grown stock avail. and reas. Reiho Kennels, Vienna 24-W-1.

BOXER PUPPIES, fawn, well marked. Ch. sired, AKC reg. LO. 3-0740.

CHOW PUPS, AKC registered, 6 wks. old. Christmas, $50. HO. 2980.

COCKER PUPS, A.K.C. reg.; champion blood line; choose yours now for Christmas. GL. 5013.

COCKER SPANIEL puppy. Beautiful AKC reg.; black male; 3 mos., wormed, inoc.; sire, Ch. Porter's Red Rogue; dam, from Red Tucie blood line; reasonable. WA. 1580.

COCKER, 12 weeks, black AKC, female; $15, for Christmas. OL. 8913.

COCKER PUPS, black and white, red and white, reg.; little beauties; reasonable. SH. 6324.

COCKER SPANIELS, blond, home-raised; 6 weeks old; A.K.C. reg.; very healthy pups; will hold Xmas. Call WI. 6597.

GORDON SETTER puppies, 6 mos., $25 each. Elmwood 358.

KERRY-BLUE terrier, AKC reg., 3 mos. old, female, with show potentialities. GL. 0477.

MAGNIFICENT French poodle, male, med. st., 11 wks., AKC. $100. DU. 0375.

BOXER, owner offers best of litter, 10 wks. old, AKC registered, of championship stock. FA. 7652.

PUPPIES—Cocker Spaniel, 3 mos. old; just right for Xmas; healthy; good pedigree; A.K.C. reg. OW. 9039.

SCOTTIE, black, female; 11 wks. old, registered AKC; last-minute Christmas present; $35. SLigo 3359.

SCOTTIES
Choice Puppies, AKC Reg.
MacKINNON, FA. 3432.

SCOTTIES—Big dog in small package. AKC-reg. 7 wks. old, wormed, inoculated; reasonable. EM. 5374.

SCOTTY PUPS, AKC reg., $35. OL. 0918 aft. 5:30 p. m. wkdays, all Sun.

WHITE standard poodle, female, 7 mos. A.K.C registered. Blakeen blood lines. WI. 0926.

WIREHAIRED TERRIER PUPS, females, 6 wks., AKC reg. OR. 6131.

HORSES, LIVESTOCK 76A

PONY, Welsh type, about 13 hands, gray, trained for exhibition and jumping; good children's horse, age about 10 years. Call SH. 5077.

POULTRY 76B

CAPONS
Alive or dressed, please order now so we will know how many to dress. To order phone WA. 1736 or Laurel 796-W-4.

SALE MISCELLANEOUS 78

ANTIQUES—Furn., china, glass, large stock, many inexpensive and unusual Xmas gifts; musical toys. Arlington Antique Shop, 1 to 6 p. m.

BABY carriage, Thayer de luxe; prac. new; $25. NO. 4348.

BABY CARRIAGE—Cost $50; used 6 times; best offer. LO. 5-2232.

BABY CARRIAGE, with pad; de luxe; prac. new; $25. AL. 8463.

BABY CRIB, new, still in carton, $20. TA. 0879, 9:30 to 1. Will deliver.

BARs, modern; suitable recreation room; reasonable. AT. 8819.

BED LEGS—Convert your coil or box spring into Hollywood beds. SLigo 9594, Day or Night.

BEDS, 2, Simmons twin ivory metal, with springs; clean; excellent condition; $20. GL. 3524.

BICYCLES—Girls', boys', like new, $18.50 up; parts, repairs, for all bikes. COLLEGE PARK CYCLE. UN. 4600.

BICYCLE—Boy's 26-in., good condition. $18. EM. 6545.

BICYCLE—Raleigh, English racer; excel. cond.; 3-speed gear and hand-brake. $40 or best offer. TW. 0225.

BICYCLES for Xmas. Excellent rebuilts. Georgetown Bicycle Store, 1611 Wis. ave. DE. 1430. Open eves.

BICYCLE, boy's, Western Auto; good cond.; 28-in.; $20. AT. 6253, after 6.

BICYCLE, girl's 26-in. blue Dayton; very good condition. SH. 0058.

BUILDING MATERIAL
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ACE Wrecking & Bldg. LU. 4-6617

CAMERAS, photo and movie supplies, darkroom equipment; easy terms; trade-in; year guar. Catalog free. Brenner, 933 Pa. ave. nw. RE. 2434.

CHRISTMAS TREES
5426 Nash st. ne., at retail prices; 4 to 15 ft., $1.50 up; will deliver anywhere in D. C. Freshly cut Virginia cedar. HI. 8071.

CHRISTMAS GIFT—New hand-carved Meerschaum pipe, med. size, $25. TE. 7652.

CHRISTMAS TOYS
LOWEST PRICES IN TOWN; anything on wheels. I. C. FURNITURE & STOVE CO., 1353 H st. ne.

CLOTHING—Girl's white stag ski pants, dark gray; never worn; cost $18.95, will sell $12; red ski mittens, white leather palms, wool liners $2.50; 2 wool dresses; kelly green wool suit; tweed suit; brown crepe dress; 14-16; very reas. KI. 8-7280.

CLOTHING—Men's suits, topcoats, overcoats, slightly used; $3.95, $10.80 up. 1346 S st. nw., Sun., 1 to 2:30.

COAT, lady's, black, fur-trimmed size 20, practically new, $30. TE. 2598.

COAT, black sealine, fine condition, size 12-14, $45. DE. 8279.

CRYSTAL lamp, with imported Czech crystal pendulums; $50. SH. 7686.

DAVENPORT — Circular, sectional; lovely green; like new; bought for $425, sell $250. OR. 6540.

DESK, knee hole, typr. space, $75; figurines, $5 up; crystal chandelier, $65; French curio cabinet, $150. LORI, 3320 Conn., Apt. 21, WO. 3869.

DIAMONDS—Lady's sol. ¼-ct., $50; lady's ¾-ct., $175; lady's 1¼-ct., $300; lady's 1½-ct. $500; lady's 2-ct., $875; man's 2-ct., $500; lady's 2¼-ct., $850. All prices include mtgs. Trades accepted. Livingston & Co., 1423 H st. nw. ME. 3440.

DISHWASHER, attachment for Thor autom. washer, $45. JO. 3-8081.

SALE MISCELLANEOUS 78

ELECTRIC RADIATORS—2 new. Cost $37.95. Sell $25 ea. CO. 5415.

ELEC. RANGE, Frigidaire; Frigidaire refrig., Firestone washer; miscel. articles; like new. Gaithersburg 128J.

FUR COAT, ermine, new cond.; cost $1,200; sell $600. SH. 0456.

FUR JACKET, skunk, new cond.; lovely style; less than ½ price; $35. Matching hat, $7. KI. 8-7280.

FURN.—Fine 18th Century Reproductions—Leather top mahogany drum table, mahogany breakfront, 2 tuxedo chairs, small mahogany chest, dinette table and 4 chairs, and Pullman sofa. OR. 0387.

GAS RANGES, all sizes; credit and liberal trade-in; regular installation. Peerless Sales, 2237 Ga. ave. DE. 3670.

GAS RANGES, oil, coal ranges. New, used.
Acme Stove Co., 1011 7th nw. NA. 8952.

GAS RANGE, Tappan, de luxe, perfect condition. Vienna 163-W-2.

GUITARS, new, $14.50 up; also used. THE GUITAR SHOP, 2d floor, 2000 N st. nw. ME. 3958 till 9 p. m.

HEATERS—(Oil, coal gas, wood, elec.), new and used.
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HOT-WATER heaters, 20-gal., gas-fired; only $53.50. McCrea Equipment Co., EX. 3424.

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RODIN JEWELS, 808 17th St. N.W. "Antiques"—"Lonzines Watches"

LIFE MAGAZINES, Volume I, No. 1, collectors' items. OL. 4717.

MIXER, kitchen type, brand new, never used, retail $39.95, will sacrifice. No. 606 Dupont Circle Bldg., 1346 Conn. ave.

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PIANO, small apt. upright. Dark mahogany. Excel. cond. Bench to match. $250 delivered. TO. 5918.

PIANO—Wurlitzer, short keyboard, in new cond. and tuned. IDEAL XMAS PRESENT FOR CHILDREN. $175 DELIVERED. TO. 5918.

PIANOS—Just in time for Christmas delivery, another carload of Wurlitzer spinets, today's best buy, at $395; $25 down, $10 a month. Kitt's, 1330 G st. nw.

PIANOS—New, Lester, Betsy Ross spinet; $20 deposit, $10 monthly. ST. 6300. PIANO MART, 1015 7th nw

PIANO—Used: full keyboard spinet, $295. Also other values. JORDAN'S, corner 13th and G sts. nw.

PIANO, Estey spinet, walnut, prewar, beautiful cond., $350. JO. 3-5498.

PIANO—Mahog., upright, needs tuning. $175. GE. 6614.

PING-PONG TABLE; excellent condition; $25. AT. 8819.

PIPE—Standard pipe, brand new; black, large quantity. Sizes 6-8-10-12. AT. 8205.

RADIO-PHONOGRAPH, portable Recordio, wired for recordings; perfect cond.; no real offer reject. HO. 4339.

RADIO, G.E., walnut cabinet; good cond.; $15. Manitola auto. record player, walnut table model; prac. new. $10. CH. 4125.

RADIO-PHONOGRAPH, 10-tube Silvertone, autom. changer and record-maker; excel. cond.; $55. GL. 3579.

RADIO, Philco, good cond., reasonably priced; floor model. CO. 1477.

RADIO COMB.—R.C.A. Victor, table model, with record cabinet to match; $40. TW. 2528.

REFRIGERATOR—1948 Philco, 7 cu. ft. Excel. condition. $100. OT. 8838.

REFRIGERATOR, '49 Crosley, 8 cu. ft., 50-lb. freezer, almost new. Moved to apt. Either. Bargain. 4200 Chesapeake st. nw.

VACUUM CLEANER, tank type, brand new, never used; retail $79.95, sacrificing. No. 606 Dupont Circle Building, 1346 Conn. ave.

VACUUM cleaners, $10, $20, $30. The $30 cleaners are new SINGER demonstrators. SEE at 6111 Georgia ave. or CALL GE. 6111.

WASHER, Kenmore Spindrier, $25. JO. 2-8393. 405 Orange st. se.

WASHING MACHINE, Handyhot, apt. size, practically new, $20. TE. 2598.

WASH. MACH., GE. wringer, 1½ yrs., excel. cond. $85. FA. 9446 after 6 p. m.

WASHER, apt. size, new, $45 or best offer. TE. 5280.

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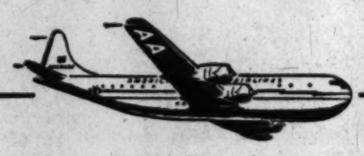

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Christmas 'Round the World

Two Yules a Year in Russia

By Richard M. Barr

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CHAPTER FIVE

CHRISTMAS comes but once a year in the United States, but it comes twice a year in Russia.

One celebration is the "old-style" Christmas of the Russian Orthodox Church, on December 12. The other is the "new-style" Christmas of the modernized calendar, December 25.

Under the Soviets, Christmas is officially ignored. The holiday is merely called a New Year's festivity. As far as the Kremlin is concerned, there are, therefore, two New Year's celebrations in December.

The Russians have a Santa Claus, but he's called Dyedushka Moroz or Grandpa Frost. He drives horses, instead of reindeer, but otherwise is similar to Santa Claus—wearing a long red coat, beard, black boots and having a deep, jolly laugh.

Wrinkled Babushka

IN SOME parts of Russia, the gift-giver is not Dyedushka Moroz but an old woman, a wrinkled babushka, or grandmother.

According to legend, she is an old hag who deliberately misdirected the Wise Men as they journeyed to Bethlehem. Condemned to live forever for that evil deed, she must walk across the country giving presents to all the children of the world at Christmas in penance for her sin.

Her favorite gifts are red boots for boys, golden slippers for girls.

Officially, the Soviets frown on the more religious aspects of Christmas, though there is little interference with services in those churches permitted to operate in the Soviet Union.

There is, however, a concerted campaign to wipe out the old Christmas legends of Mother Russia, legends found throughout all the Slavic countries.

These legends have sprung from ancient superstitions.

For instance: The old folk of all the Slav countries will tell you that any dream on Christmas Eve is bound to come true.

That the first person to enter your home on Christmas Eve is a forecast of the year ahead.

If it's a child, you'll have good luck.

If it's a grown man, it means that hens will predominate in your barnyard and most of your cattle will be cows. But if it's a woman who enters first on Christmas Eve, you'll have lots of roosters and bulls.

If it's an old woman, however—look out. That means anger and quarreling in the family for the year to come.

Latin Nations

UNLIKE the Slav countries, the Latin nations of Europe today devote most of their Christmas observance to religion. Indeed, you will find that Christmas probably has more Christianity in it in the Latin countries than anywhere else in the world.

In Italy there are presents for children and grownups at Christmas time. But for most adults in Italy, it is a solemn time, devoted to prayer and attending church.

The Italian children (and French, too) build tiny replicas of the manger at Christmas, working on the miniatures during most of the nine-day novena that precedes Christmas Day.

January 6 is the day Italian children receive their gifts. The presents are just like those in other lands—dolls, toys, games and other items important to little boys and girls all over the world.

But the gifts are not brought by Santa Claus. Instead, an old lady comes around, called the befana. With her presents, she brings candy and fruit and nuts for the little ones who have been good. But for the naughty ones, she leaves a lump of coal or a short, black stick, so their parents can punish them.

Yule in Summer

THE Latin tradition in our own country exists widely in the Southwestern States, and wherever large numbers of Latin Americans have settled. They have brought with them, of course, the customs of their own lands, just as earlier immigrants did along the Eastern Seaboard.

Traditionally, in most of Latin America, gift giving is on January 6, known to the Argentines as "Little Christmas," and as "Dia de Reis" or Day of Kings to the Brazilians.

The gifts, however, usually come from the Three Kings. Santa Claus and his reindeer are comparative newcomers to Latin America.

For the seasons are reversed below the equator. The fact that Christmas comes in the early summer makes a visit by sleigh and reindeer somewhat improbable. The Three Kings, however, fit in quite well with the season.

The children say their prayers on the night of January 5, leave their shoes in front of the window or on the balcony. In some countries, the shoes are filled with straw—food for the burros of the Three Kings. Next morning the straw is gone, and in its place—toys!

All of the Latin-American nations have individual customs built around their Christmas celebrations. In Mexico, for example, the pinata is fun for children and grown-ups alike.

The pinata is an earthenware pot or container, filled with candies, fruits, nuts and small gifts. It is hung from the ceiling and covered with straw or tissue paper. Sometimes it is shaped like an airplane, sometimes a doll, or a bird, or even the face of Cantinflas, a popular comedian.

Everybody in the family takes a turn at being blindfolded. Then, supplied with a small stick, each one tries to break the pinata and shower its presents down upon the family.

When it's finally broken, there's a scramble for the prizes it contains.

Shepherds' Parade

IN BRAZIL, the parade of the Pastorinhas, or Little Shepherds, is a bright and musical feature of the holidays. Boys and girls dress in the colorful costumes of shepherds, and parade through the town singing Brazilian Christmas carols.

Brazilian children also leave their shoes in the windows or outside the door to await Christmas gifts, but in the larger cities the traditions and legends of Santa Claus are beginning to win favor.

Throughout all Latin America, the custom prevails of building nacimientos or presepios—miniature mangers, complete with the crib of the Christ Child, domestic animals, the shepherds and the Three Kings.

Some families devote an entire room in their house to this holy spectacle, and invite all their friends in to see it.

In Asuncion, Paraguay, the city's largest park is devoted to the dramatization of the Christmas story, with living people and animals taking part in the tableaus and pageants.

Another almost universal custom in the other Americas in the Midnight Mass or Misa de Gallo—Mass of the Cock—on Christmas Eve. A family supper at home always follows the mass.

In Venezuela, where Saint Nicholas brings the spirit of Christmas, this is the occasion when gifts are placed on the children's bed.

Whether it's known as Pascua, as in Peru, or Navidad, as in Mexico, the celebration of Christmas is a joyful occasion throughout the Western Hemisphere.

Tomorrow: The President's Christmas, typical of most Americans.

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17 A SUM ENTERED
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19 MERIT
20 SMALL UNBOUND BOOK
22 SON OF DAEDALUS
24 DEFECT IN GLASS
25 SANDARAC TREE
26 SHORT-LEGGED HUNTING DOG
29 ONE TO WHOM ANOTHER IS INDEBTED
33 PAST
34 LAZAR
36 HABITUATE
37 RADIAL RODS OF AN UMBRELLA
39 KETTLE USED IN SUGAR MAKING
41 HAPPY
42 BAA
44 STAIR POST
46 NEGRITO
47 DOMESTICS
49 MOISTEN
51 SPACE
52 REFER TO SPECIFICALLY
53 AUTHOR OF "WUTHERING HEIGHTS"
56 A FRENCH POINT-LACE
60 FINE THIN LINEN FABRIC
61 LAMENTATION: POET
63 LARGE VOLUME
64 HEATING VESSEL
65 EXPUNGE
66 SIMIANS
67 CLEANSE
68 THICK
69 FASTING SEASON

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1 SCENE-SHIFTER IN A THEATER
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6 CROQUET BALL FREE TO BE PLAYED AT WILL
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13 WITHOUT: FR.
21 FOLLOW CLOSE BEHIND
23 TURKISH MAGISTRATE
25 POINTED PROJECTION
26 POINTS ON A WIRE FENCE
27 ACTIVE
28 SEDATE
29 GODDESS OF HARVESTS
30 DUTCH HORTICULTURAL SPECIALTY
31 HARANGUE
32 PART OF A FORTIFICATION
35 ONE OF COLUMBUS' SHIPS
38 CITY IN GEORGIA
40 ONE'S LINE OF ANCESTORS
43 ACIDULOUS
45 TARDY
48 REQUIRED
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52 INTERSECT
53 USED BELLOWS
54 THE FLU
CHESTNUT
55 POSSESSES
56 RUSSIAN WOLFHOUND
57 BUDDHIST RELIC-SHRINE
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59 COSY RETREAT
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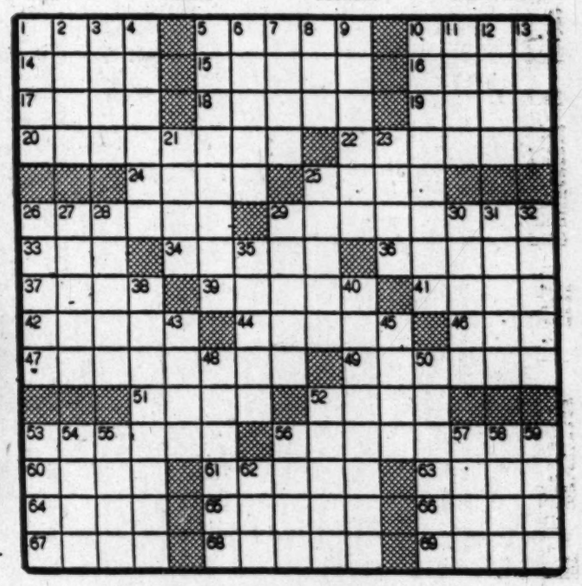

Radio Highlights

WWDC—7. Christmas songs by the Randolph-Macon Women's College Glee Club.

WTOP—7:45. Guest of Edward R. Murrow is his 4-year-old son, Casey, who helps his father with a Christmas program.

WTOP—8. The Goldberg version of "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs."

WOL—9:30. Joseph Curran, national president of the Maritime Union, CIO, is guest on Meet the Press.

WWDC—9:45. Pro basketball game from Uline Arena: Washington Caps vs. Boston Celtics.

WMAL—10. Sportswriters Shirley Povich, Bill Rives, Braven Dyer and Arch Ward review outstanding sports events of the year.

WRC—10. Joe Louis recites "A Visit From St. Nicholas."

Television Highlights

WNBW—5. Howdy Doody dramatizes the New York Sun's famous editorial, "Is There a Santa Claus?"

WMAL—9:30. On Trial: "Is the Taft-Hartley Law Unfair to Labor?"

WTTG—9:30. Christmas party of the Dumont staff.

WNBW—Channel 4 WMAL—Channel 7
WTTG—Channel 5 WOIC—Channel 9

1:00
WTTG—Okay Mother.
1:30
WWTG—Man on Street.
1:45
WTTG—Margaret Johnson.
2:00
WTTG—Shoppers Matinee.
3:00
WMAL—Sports Parade.
4:00
WTTG—Sports Room.
WMAL—Sports Parade.
WOIC—Homemakers Exchange.
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WNBW—Bill Herson.
WOIC—Vanity Fair.
4:45
WNBW—Mr. Magic.
5:00
WNBW—Howdy Doody.
WTTG—Sports Special.
6:00
WNBW—TV Journal.
WTTG—Moppet Shop.
WMAL—Frontier Theater.
6:30
WTTG—Magic Cottage.
WOIC—Lucky Pup Puppets.
6:45
WNBW—Weather, Sports.
WOIC—Sports, Simpson.
7:00
WNBW—Kukla, Fran and Ollie.
WTTG—Captain Video
WMAL—Telenews Daily.
WOIC—Sketchaquiz.
7:15
WMAL—Sports Reel, Gibbons.
7:30
WNBW—Roberta Quinlan.
WTTG—Les Sand.
WMAL—Capitol Close-Up.
WOIC—TV News.
7:45
WNBW—News Caravan.
WMAL—2 Stagehands.
WOIC—Kendis; Herb Shriner.
8:00
WNBW—One Man's Family.
WTTG—Hands of Murder.
WMAL—Majority Rules.
WOIC—"Mama," Peggy Wood.
8:15
WMAL—Majority Rules.
8:30
WNBW—We the People.
WTTG—Headline Clues.
WMAL—The Ruggles.
WOIC—Man Against Crime.
9:00
WNBW—Versatile Varieties.
WTTG—Fishing, Hunting.
WMAL—Auction-Aire.
WOIC—54th St. Revue.
9:30
WNBW—Big Story.
WTTG—Xmas Party.
WMAL—On Trial.
10:00
WNBW—Film Shorts.
WTTG—Milt Q. Ford.
WMAL—Evalyn Tyner.
WOIC—People's Platform.
10:30
WTTG—News.
WMAL—News; Weather.
WOIC—Jim Simpson, Sports.

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WWDS-FM (Channel 265—101.3 mc)—7 a. m. to 11 p. m.
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Today's Greater Washington Radio Programs

Friday, December 23, 1949

	WMAL 630	WRC 980	WOL 1260	WINX 1340	WEAM 1390	WWDC 1450	WTOP 1500
	News, 6, 7, 7:45, 8:30. Jim Gibbons, Town Clock, 6:05-9.	News, 5:55, 7, 7:30, 8, 8:30. Bill Herson, 6-9. 9 Weather, 6:30.	Art Brown Show, 6-9, except for V. of Wash., 7:30.	News, 6, 7, 8. The Jerry Strong Show 6:05-9:00.	Sign On, 6 a. m. Bill Jenkins, 7. Right Start, 7:45.	Jon Massey Show, 6 a.m. Devotions, 6:45. Milton Q. Ford 7-9. News, 7-7:30 and 8:15.	Mark Evans, 5:30. C. Mahoney, 7:30. Eddie Gallaher, 7:45. News, 6, 6:30, 7, 8.
9 :00	Breakfast Club	News; Bill Herson	Art Brown Show	News; J. Strong	Bill Jenkins	Milton Q. Ford	News of America
:15	Don McNeill	Bill Herson	Art Brown Show	Jerry Strong	Bill Jenkins	and Parrot	Eddie Gallaher
:30	John Desmond	Nancy Osgood	Morning Melody	WINX Varieties	News, Rhythm	Milton Q. Ford	Home Service
:45	Sam Cowling	Nancy Osgood	Time	George Crawford	Music	Major Stars	Nancy Dixon
10 :00	My True Story	Welcome,	Morning Melody	News; WINX Var.	Waltz Time	Tune Inn	You're the Top
:15	My True Story	Traveler	Time	George Crawford	Morning Worship	Felix Grant	Arthur Godfrey
:30	Betty Crocker	Marriage for Two	Say It With Music	WINX Varieties	Gloria Brandt	Tune Inn	Arthur Godfrey
:45	V. H. Lindlahr	Dorothy Dix	Say It With Music	George Crawford	Gloria Brandt	Felix Grant	Arthur Godfrey
11 :00	Modern	We Love & Learn	Behind the Story	News; WINX Var.	Meet the Band	Blue Plains	Arthur Godfrey
:15	Romances	Dave Garroway	Bob Poole Show	George Crawford	Meet the Band	Xmas Party	Arthur Godfrey
:30	Ruth Crane	Jack Berch	Bob Poole Show	WINX Varieties	Luncheon	Tune Inn	Grand Slam
:45	Ruth Crane	Lora Lawton	Melody Accent	George Crawford	Musicale	Felix Grant	Rosemary
12 :00	Houseparty	News; Brinkley	Kate Smith Speaks	News; Strong	Luncheon	Tello-Test	Wendy Warren
:15	Party; Kiernan	Look to This Day	Les Higbie, News	Jerry Strong	Musicale	WWDC	Aunt Jenny
:30	Quick as a	Here's Archer	Back to the Bible	Luncheon with	Sports	Bandwagon	Helen Trent
:45	Flash	Here's Archer	Back to the Bible	Jerry Strong	Jack Ridge	Bing Crosby	Our Gal Sunday
1 :00	Baukhage	Here's Archer	Art Brown	News, Brundige	Sports Derby	All Sports Parade	Big Sister
:15	It's a Hit	Here's Archer	Art Brown	Sports Page	Jack Ridge	Tony Wakeman	Ma Perkins
:30	It's a Hit	Tex Beneke	Art Brown	Sports Page	Sports Derby	All Sports Parade	Young Dr. Malone
:45	Gibbons Store	Man in Street	Art Brown	Sports Page	Jack Ridge	Tony Wakeman	Guiding Light
2 :00	Round the Town	Double or Nothing	Ladies Fair	News, Brundige	Sports Derby	All Sports Parade	2d Mrs. Burton
:15	Round the Town	Double or Nothing	Ladies Fair	Sports Page	Jack Ridge	Tony Wakeman	Perry Mason
:30	Bride and Groom	Today's Children	Queen for a Day	Sports Page	Sports Derby	All Sports Parade	Nora Drake
:45	John Nelson	Light of the World	Queen for a Day	Sports Page	Jack Ridge	Tony Wakeman	Brighter Day
3 :00	Pick a Date	Life Can be Beaut.	District Matinee	News, Brundige	Sports Derby	All Sports Parade	David Harum
:15	Pick a Date	Road of Life	District Matinee	Sports Page	Jack Ridge	Tony Wakeman	Hilltop House
:30	Ladies Be S'ted.	Pepper Young	District Matinee	Sports Page	Sports Derby	All Sports Parade	Mark Evans
:45	Ladies; Malone	Right to Happiness	District Matinee	Sports Page	Jack Ridge	Tony Wakeman	Mark Evans
4 :00	Galen Drake	Backstage Wife	District Matinee	News, Brundige	Sports Derby	All Sports Parade	Garry Moore
:15	L'nel Barrymore	Stella Dallas	District Matinee	Sports Page	Jack Ridge	Tony Wakeman	Garry Moore
:30	Gibbons Store	Lorenzo Jones	District Matinee	Sports Page	Sports Derby	All Sports Parade	Garry Moore
:45	Firefighters	Widow Brown	District Matinee	Sports Page	Jack Ridge	Tony Wakeman	Garry Moore
5 :00	Yukon	A Girl Marries	B-Bar-B Ranch	News; Music Hall	Sports Derby	Band of Day	Top Spot
:15	Challenge	Portia Faces Life	B-Bar-B Ranch	Music, Sports	Jack Ridge	Sweet vs. Swing	Top Spot; News
:30	Sky King	Just Plain Bill	Tom Mix	Music, Sports	Sports Derby	Sports; Jack Lowe	Curt Massey
:45	Sky King	Front Page Farrell	Tom Mix	Music, Sports	Sports Hiway	Lowe; Wakeman	Bob Elson Show
6 :00	News	News; Eid	Philipps, Sports	News; Music Hall	Places to Go	Melody Lane	News, Sevareid
:15	Boston Blackie	Earl Godwin	News;	Bob Wolff, Sports	Places to Go	Lane; Wakeman	News; Factfinder
:30	Boston Blackie	Bourgh'zer; B'g'n.	Band	Music Hall	Dinner Music	Concert Echoes	Sports; News
:45	Second Spring	3 Star Extra	Stand	Music Hall	Dinner Music	Rosary Hour	Lowell Thomas
7 :00	Albert Warner	Light Up Time	Fulton Lewis, jr.	News; Music Hall	Lily and Curley	Randolph Macon	Beulah
:15	Elmer Davis	World News	Charioteers	Music Hall	Lily and Curley	Meet the Band	Jack Smith
:30	Lone Ranger	Sweetwood Ser.	Gabriel Heatter	Music Hall	Hillbilly Music	Willis Conover	Club 15
:45	Lone Ranger	Music; Weather	I Love A Mystery	Music Hall	Hillbilly Music	Willis Conover	Edw. R. Murrow
8 :00	The Fat Man	Henry Morgan	Russ Morgan	News, Rowzie	Dance Time	Ray Morgan	The Goldbergs
:15	The Fat Man	Comedy Show	Show	Rowzie	Dance Time	Lowe; 1450 Club	The Goldbergs
:30	This Is Your FBI	We the People	Emil Coleman's	with	Dance Time	Lowe; 1450 Club	My Favorite
:45	This Is Your FBI	We the People	Orchestra	Records	Dance Time	Lowe; 1450 Club	Husband
9 :00	Ozzie and	Life of Riley	The Air Force	News, Rowzie	Cactus Matt	Lowe; 1450 Club	Joan Davis
:15	Harriet	Life of Riley	Hour	Rowzie	Cactus Matt	Lowe; 1450 Club	Joan Davis
:30	Sheriff	Jimmy Durante	Meet the Press	with	Cactus Matt	News; 1450 Club	Young Love
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WASHINGTON: FRIDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1949

Can't Eat Carols, but Turkey—Mmm!

BEAMING WITH PRIDE, Mrs. John E. Peurifoy, wife of the Deputy Secretary of State, shows what a good-looking holiday turkey she can turn out in the kitchen of her Arlington, Va., home.

By Harry Goodwin—The Washington Post

Santa's Big Gift Is Easy Dinner To Housewives

By Lucia Brown

FROM embassy kitchens to one-room apartments, Christmas menus are of top interest in Washington homes this week.

Carols and fir trees are all very well, but they can't outshine good things to eat in the Yuletide picture! December 25 has been a famous feasting time for centuries, and its traditional foods are numerous as they are ancient.

In this country, we inherit recipes from the whole world—plum pudding from the English, cranberries from the Scandinavians, quaint cookies from the Germans. The turkey, of course, we added all by ourselves.

Something else that's been added by enterprising Americans is streamlined ease in preparing the feast. In recent years, dozens of prepared and packaged products have been introduced to help get dinner on the table in a hurry. We have Beltsville small turkeys, too, and we can buy turkey halves and quarters that cook more quickly and are better suited to the small family.

So today we present menus for both an Old-Time Christmas Dinner and a Streamlined Holiday Dinner. The first will take plenty of loving care and time if you prepare it "from scratch." The second is a real work-saver if you use the tips that follow the menu.

OLD-TIME CHRISTMAS DINNER

Chestnut Soup
Roast Turkey — Oyster Dressing
Baked Smithfield Ham
Mashed Potatoes — Brown Gravy
Buttered Carrots
Creamed Pearl Onions
Hot Rolls
Cranberry Sauce — Celery
Waldorf Salad
Ambrosia — Christmas Spice Cakes
Coffee — Salted Nuts — Fruit

CHESTNUT SOUP

Shell 3 to 4 dozen chestnuts as follows: With a sharp knife, make diamond-shaped cut on shell and roast in hot oven (450 degrees) for 20 minutes. Peel off shell and inner covering. Place in saucepan with ¼ cup diced fat bacon, 1 large potato, quartered, 1 onion, sliced, 2 medium carrots, split, and a "bouquet garni" (1 bay leaf, ½ teaspoon thyme, 4 cloves). Simmer with 2 cups water until chestnuts are tender, about 30 minutes.

Put ingredients through food mill. Return to water used in boiling. Add bouillon cube and simmer to thick soup consistency. Add ½ cup cream and 2 tablespoons sherry. Serve hot, topped with dab of meringue (made by combining 1 stiffly beaten egg white with 1 tablespoon sugar and juice of ½ fresh lemon). Brown under broiler and serve immediately. This recipe makes six portions.

LIKE most women, Mrs. John E. Peurifoy, wife of the Deputy Undersecretary of State, will take some of the modern short cuts and cling to some of the traditional Yuletide items. She'll settle for just one main course instead of the old-fashioned two, but she'll have nothing to do with half turkeys. Her turkey will be big and handsome.

And Mrs. Peurifoy will be sure to make Christmas Spice Cake, one of the recipes from the Wellesley Club's "Favorite Recipes of Wellesley Alumnae." Here's the recipe for this old-fashioned favorite:

CHRISTMAS SPICE CAKES

(From "Favorite Recipes of Wellesley Alumnae")

2½ cups brown sugar
3 tablespoons orange juice
½ teaspoon vanilla
3 eggs, well beaten
3 cups pastry flour, sifted twice
2 teaspoons cinnamon
1 teaspoon clove
¼ teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon soda
1 cup citron, chopped
1 cup walnut meats, broken

Mix and spread ½ inch thick in buttered tins. Bake in moderate oven for 30 minutes.

FROSTING: Mix ¾ cup powdered sugar with about 3 tablespoons cream until of spreading consistency. While the cake is still warm, cut in 1½-inch squares with sharp knife dipped in boiling water. This recipe makes 54 squares.

MRS. JOHN E. PEURIFOY, wife of the Deputy Undersecretary of State, and her 3-year-old son, Danny, take a peek at the Christmas bird as it roasts in the oven.

STREAMLINED HOLIDAY FEAST

Tomato Soup with Parsley Garnish
Roast Turkey Half with Savory Dressing
Cranberry Freeze
Buttered Peas with Mushrooms
Candied Sweet Potatoes
Olives — Pickle — Celery
Hot Biscuit
Tossed Green Salad, with Roquefort Dressing
Christmas Ices — Fruit Cake
Coffee

ROAST HALF TURKEY

Tie tail and leg of half bird together by stitching clean wrapping cord through skin at end of leg and then through meat of tail. Use big upholsterer's needle or yarn needle.

Place bird cut side up. Sew loose skin at neck so it forms pocket. Salt pocket and fill loosely with stuffing. Salt body cavity and stuff, too.

Use the prepared stuffing placed on the market by bread companies. You'll need 2 to 2½ cups of it, dry measure.

Cut heavy paper and place over stuffing. Lace across with your needle and thread, catching skin on each side. Or mound stuffing on heavy paper

See BROWN, Page 3, Col. 4

Mary Haworth's Mail

Man Asks How to Correct Wife's Pessimism; She Is Depressed and Wishes to Leave Him; Wed Four Years, It's Their Second Marriage

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: My wife Edna is 26 and I am 34. We have been married four years, have a child 2 years old, and as this is second marriage for both of us, we have three other children also.

Edna has a daughter aged 10 by her former marriage and I have two daughters, ages 14 and 6, by my first marriage. When Edna and I first met, each of us was still living with our former mates. As I say, we've been married four years now.

My first wife died in an accident two years ago and since then my two older girls have been living with us. They inherited from their mother a house with a small debt against it, and as we were living in an apartment, where there wasn't enough room for the enlarged family, I had to borrow money to pay off the debt so we could move into the house.

Man's Worked Only Halftime This Year

DURING the past year I have worked only about six months and it has been rather hard going to meet our debts. However, the real problem is that my wife has become depressed and has made two attempts to leave me. She is a very attractive woman and has a fear of getting old before her time.

She thinks the cause of her fear is the fact that there is too much work involved in taking care of four children, and she takes it exceptionally hard as two of them are not her own. She seems to think my two daughters resent her as a stepmother. The girls were

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Miss Sabin was graduated from Immaculata Seminary in Washington and also attended the San Diego Junior College and the University of Maryland.

The wedding will take place this summer following Midshipman Myer's graduation from the United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md.

Kay—Manley

The engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Lola Kay to Pfc. Albert S. Manley, USA, is announced by her mother, Mrs. Jacob A. Kay.

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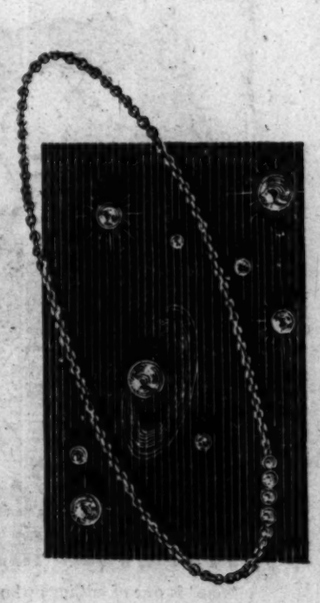

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Research Dept. Activated

Christmas-Spirited Scholar Learns 'Twas Miss Hengist Who Spiked Ye Old Punch

By Mary Van Rensselaer Thayer

WHAT do you really know about Christmas? Not only the day itself but all its lovely trappings—presents, decorations, food? Curious about it all we undertook a spot of research, skimming superficially over such odd facts as proved intriguing. Here goes!

The abbreviation Xmas is used because in Greek "X" is the equivalent of "ch" and therefore taken to represent the word Christ. Christmas wasn't officially set as December 25 until 440 A.D.

Before that year, Christ's baptism on January 6 was celebrated.

Today, Greek Orthodox and Abyssinians still celebrate Christmas on January 6 and Armenians on January 18, the old calendar date for January 6.

Medieval Gossip Tells of Goings-On

IN Britain, December 25 was a festival long before the nation's conversion to Christianity. The Venerable Bede, a chatty medieval chronicler, recounts mysteriously that "the ancient peoples of the Angli began the year on the 25th of December when we now celebrate the birthday of the Lord; and the very night which is now so holy to us they called in their tongue 'modranecht'—that is, the mother's night—by reason, we suspect of the ceremonies which in that nightlong vigil they performed."

In 1644 English Puritans forbade by act of parliament any merriment or religious services because yule was a heathen festival. However, Charles II soon changed all that!

Witches Eschew Holly Plant

TAKE Christmas decorations: Holly isn't derived from "Holy"; it comes from its Anglo-Saxon name Holin, Hollin or Holm. Legend has it, though, that the crown of thorns was plaited with holly and that its berries, once white, were turned crimson from blood at the crucifixion. Witches hate the plant, so holly is placed in doors and windows to keep away all evil spirits.

Mistletoe, a parasitic plant, literally means "tree-thief." It was the Druids' sacred plant. Druid priests cut it with a golden sickle, never let it fall to the ground. Each Druid follower was given a small branch at certain ceremonies—no one knows why!

Mistletoe Has Myriad Uses

MISTLETOE is so potent that Virgil's hero Aeneas managed to get to hell and back (literally) by plucking a branch as protection. In old Scandinavia, when enemies met by chance below a bunch of mistletoe in some forest tree, they laid down arms and maintained truce until the next day. Hence our custom of placing it over a door as pledge of friendship to be sealed with a kiss.

The first Christmas tree—in literature, that is—appeared in Strasbourg in Alsace-Lorraine. The idea caught on, spread into Germany, where it became the center attraction of the German celebration. Queen Victoria's husband, Prince Albert of Saxe-Coburg, introduced it into England; German and English immigrants, into this country.

Back in 1233 St. Francis of Assisi created the first creche (or manger), at Greccio, a small village near his home. He staged the Nativity scene with live animals, supplied them with real provender. St. Francis also sang the service itself—and thus originated the first Christmas carol. Creches became important because, in those days, so few could read and had to be shown things literally.

The first Christmas card didn't show up until 1845. It was painted by Sir Henry Dobson, one of Queen Victoria's favorite artists. The idea caught on within a few years. Sir Henry has a lot to answer for!

Miss Rowena Hengist Mixed a Good Drink

THE BOAR'S head was considered an integral part of Christmas because the boar was held in high esteem—for teaching men the art of ploughing by his habit of rooting in the ground with his tusks!

The wassail bowl had a romantic start. Rowena, the daughter of Hengist (of Hengist and Horsa) presenting a certain Prince Vortigen with a bowl of spiced wine, remarked somewhat unimaginatively: "Lord King, wass-heil" and he, completely capivated, replied in similar vein "Drinc-heil"—and married her soon after this provocative exchange. Wass-heil was taken to mean "What Hail!" or "Here's how!"

The Romans dreamed up the idea of seasonal gift-giving. Handing out presents was traditional at the naughty feast of the Saturnalia, between December 17 and 24 and again for the first few days in January.

During Saturnalia, rich and poor were equal. Courts closed so no one could be convicted of a crime and there was no distinction between free man and slave. You can easily figure out what happened in this cheerful period.

Bess Enjoyed Ye Yule Tribute

Roman Emperors stood on a conspicuous tribune collecting gifts and later, in practical England, Henry VII counted on gifts to squeak his budget through the following years while Queen Elizabeth replenished her extensive wardrobe solely by this easy method, even equeezing $200 in cash from the Archbishop of Canterbury and two bolts of calico from the royal dustman!

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Another Day, Another Dance for Debs

By Marie McNair and Elizabeth Maguire

A BALL at the Sulgrave Club, an old-fashioned tea at home were on the party program for debutantes yesterday.

Miss Allison Hagner, daughter of Alexander Hagner, was presented to society at a dance at the Sulgrave Club. More than 350 guests, friends of Mr. and Mrs. Hagner, and a group of this season's debutantes and their beaux, were invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Hagner were hosts at dinner before the dance for Miss Hagner, and Mr. and Mrs. George E. Hamilton, jr., also entertained a group of young people at dinner. Meyer Davis played for dancing.

Champagne-colored tulle fashioned the debutante's frock, which had a bouffant skirt and strapless bodice. She carried a spray of roses of matching shade. Mrs. Hagner's gown was of mauve tulle.

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ELIZABETH AND WINIFRED MacGOWAN
. . . presented to society at tea

MacGowan Sisters Presented at Tea

DRESSED in palest pink brocaded taffeta frocks and carrying bouquets of camelias which had been flown in from the South, Miss Winifred Cannon MacGowan and Miss Elizabeth Butler MacGowan made their debuts yesterday at a tea given by their mother, Mrs. Bryant Syms Cooper and Dr. Cooper at the Dresden.

The drawing room was decorated with holly and Christmas greens sent by friends from Louisiana for the occasion.

Taking their turn at the flower-decked tea table were Mrs. Edwin H. Silver, Mrs. George C. Ober, jr., Mrs. Lionel H. Elwin, Mrs. Donald H. Sage, Mrs. George E. Coyle of Eastover, Ware Neck, Va.; Mrs. Hicks Sisterhemn of Savannah, Ga., and Miss Creel Durrance. Col. Wade H. Cooper, father of Dr. Cooper, was on hand to greet old friends.

Dinner Given For Debutante

MR. AND MRS. ALBERT E. BASSETT entertained last evening at a dinner at home honoring Miss Sarah Sutherland, one of the season's debutantes. Their son and two daughters, Midshipman Kimbrough S. Bassett and the Misses Elizabeth and Susan Bassett, were on hand to receive.

Wilson, Mary Hurley Give 'At Home' Party

AN "at home" party for the young set was given yesterday by Miss Mary Hope Hurley and Wilson Patrick Hurley, daughter and son of Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Patrick Jay Hurley. The party was held from 6 to 8 at their home on Massachusetts ave. Both Mary and Patrick are students at George Washington University.

Dinner Honors Debutante

MAJ. AND MRS. WILLIAM SYLVA GOCHENOUR'S dinner dance at the Carlton Hotel last evening was in honor of Miss Elizabeth Phelps Silver, debutante daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Edwin H. Silver.

Before dinner—at cocktail time—Mrs. Gochenour, Mrs. Silver and her daughter welcomed the 100 guests. Miss Silver wore a short dinner gown of blue rose taffeta with full skirt with a splash of roses at the V neckline. She carried a nosegay of pink roses. Mrs. Gochenour's gown was of Chinese blue brocade embroidered in pink thread on the shoulders and her flowers were a corsage of pink camellias.

A corsage of violets and roses were pinned to the shoulder of Mrs. Silver's blue beaded gown.

Miss Ferris Gives Eggnog Party

MISS ALWILDA FERRIS, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Floyd Ferris, entertained yesterday at an eggnog party from 6 to 8 at the Wardman Park. Among her young friends who attended were Miss Christian Dalrymple-Hamilton, Miss Margaret Woodhouse, Miss Marina Prado, Miss Yvonne Ache, Miss Maria Theresa Castro, Miss Gwendolyn Fairlamb and Miss Anne Gillespie.

Cocktail Party Given for Couple

MRS. WALTER THROCKMORTON of Leesburg, Va., entertained a few friends at cocktails yesterday at her home in Arlington, Va., for her son, Walter J. Throckmorton and his fiance, Miss Jean Frances Baker of Fairfax, Va.

Miss Snyder, Fiance Honored at Party

MISS DRUCIE SNYDER and Maj. John Horton, whose engagement was recently announced, were honored yesterday at an eggnog party given by Miss Bessie McKee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John K. McKee.

The young hostess was gowned in red stripped faille. The drawing room was decorated with holly and evergreens.

New Ambassador Guest at Embassy

THE new United States Ambassador to Yugoslavia and Mrs. George V. Allen were the guests in whose honor Yugoslav Ambassador Sava N. Kosanovic entertained at a dinner last evening at the embassy.

Miss Rizik Gives Tea For Misses Boysen, Ebel

MISS RENEE RIZIK gave a tea yesterday for two debutantes, Miss Elizabeth Boysen and Miss Joyce Ebel. The party was from 5 to 7, and nearly 110 attended.

'Atlantic Pact Princesses' Sing Christmas Carols

NINE "Atlantic Pact princesses" in native costume sang Christmas carols in nine languages at the Christmas party given yesterday by Mrs. Clarence Norton Goodwin at her apartment at the Shoreham Hotel. The occasion was in honor of the Dean of the Corps, Wilhelm Munthe de Morgenstierne, who was recently elected permanent honorary chairman of Birmingham's Christmas carnival, held annually in Alabama.

Christmas Dinner Menu—the Easy Way

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on rack in pan and place bird over stuffing. Rub skin with fat.

Roast at 300 degrees, stuffing side down, on rack in shallow open pan with no water. Cook 1½ hours, then baste with drippings. Baste every 45 minutes until done. Half turkey weighing 7 to 9 pounds takes 4½ to 5 hours. A larger bird takes longer.

SOUP: Use canned tomato soup, garnishing with chopped parsley to carry out the Christmas colors.

PEAS WITH MUSHROOMS: Use frozen peas, combining one package with contents of small can of mushrooms. Season to taste with butter, salt and pepper.

CANDIED SWEET POTATOES: Use the canned yams, following instructions on the label.

HOT BISCUIT: Biscuit mix or the canned raw biscuit will make it easy for you to serve these up in a jiffy.

CHRISTMAS ICES: Local ice cream companies have an intriguing variety. There are molds in the shape of poinsettias, Santa Clauses, holly leaves, bells and candles. There are "decorettes" which have Christmas designs that stand out on a block of ice cream. There are ice cream rolls that, when sliced, show a colored bell or other design in the center of the slice. And there's frozen plum pudding, a delectable Yuletide dish.

Everyone Loves
POLLY TRENT
Genuine Old-Fashioned
HOME MADE CANDIES
The House of Fine Creams
ALL ONE PRICE
507 11th St.

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READY-MADE

Cretonne or Knitted Mesh for various types of chairs and sofas. In blue, wine, or green floral patterns. Limited quantity!

CHAIRS $5.98 to $6.98 Values $4 ea.
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Nationally Advertised Globe-Make
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At Less Than Half Price
15 in. to 23 in. wide, 64 in. long. Ivory color. $1.99 Each
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SUNDAY
CHRISTMAS BUFFET
December Twenty-fifth
Accenting the occasion with special Christmas dishes to add to our already extensive food selections. $3. person.
Cocktail - Tea & Supper Dancing
Every weekday to the music of
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Bath Set by Elizabeth Arden
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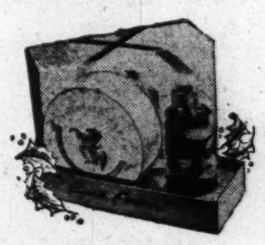

Need help? Telephone RE. 6300 or ask at the store for our Elizabeth Brewster Shopping Service!

Oomphies
Christmas Stars
to shine bright in her leisure life...

Tri-oomph . . . embroidered rayon satin slide with faille lining. In black, royal, light blue, peach. $2.95.

Gleaming nylon (washable) satin slide in black, red, royal, light blue, peach, green, white, wine. $3.50

Pajamboree-Band Slippers with multicolor leather strips. Red, royal, black. $3.95

Gift thoughts . . .

Gold Stripe Nylons. "Fashion Five" with Krimp Twist, hidden toe, heel, and sole, shadow seam. Beautiful, beautiful stockings! $1.95 (3 pairs, $5.70)

Mmm, Perfume divine! Dark Brilliance by Lentheric, $15. Quelque Fleurs, Houbigant, $7.50 to $18. Corday Zigane, $8.50 to $15. Guerlain's Fire Flower, $14.

Nylon Lingerie
Slips, $5.95 to $14.95
Gowns, $7.95 to $49.95
Panties, $1.65 to $3.95
Petticoats, $3.95 to $9.95

Oh, what a wonderful Christmas!
Bodice of "gold" shimmers above a bouffant nylon net skirt. The color, the glamour, is Champagne! $49.95
The pink of party frosting is the prettiest color imaginable! or, you may have this strapless rayon net gown in blue or white. $45
Afternoon reception or great ball . . . Jelleff's French Room fashions anticipate every event in the social calendar!

Shop this evening at Jelleff's Silver Spring and Bethesda stores.

Jelleff's
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What's this?
Madeira Imports
Just arrived!

Men's Linen Handembroidered Initialed Handkerchiefs, white or color initials, hand-rolled, standard initial assortment.

$1

P. S. Santa says he's been looking everywhere for just such handkerchiefs!

Jelleff's—Handkerchiefs—Street Floor—F Street Store only

Ask Anne

About Recipe for Turkey Stuffing

I'd like a recipe made from cornbread, sage, onions and oysters for my turkey stuffing. I can't find it in any of my cookbooks and I would appreciate one very much. A. D.

Corn Bread Stuffing

3 tablespoons butter or margarine
1 cup chopped onion
2 dozen small oysters
5 cups cornbread crumbs
¼ teaspoon sage
¼ teaspoon dried marjoram
¼ teaspoon dried thyme
1½ teaspoons salt
1 teaspoon pepper

Melt butter or margarine and brown onion slightly. Add remaining ingredients and blend. Stuff bird lightly. Approximate yield, 6 cups dressing.

Is there a spray which can be used to fireproof Christmas trees? C. S. W.

I haven't been able to find a fireproof spray, but according to a release on the subject by National Board of Fire Underwriters, here are some DO's and DONT's:

DO choose a small tree. The smaller the tree the less the hazard.

DO keep it away from radiators, heater, fireplace.

DO use wiring which is perfectly sound—no frayed insulation.

DO dispose of gift wrappings promptly outside the house.

DO take down your tree when needles begin to fall.

DON'T use cotton, paper or other inflammable material for decorations.

DON'T use candles.

DON'T use frayed strings of lights or worn extension cords.

DON'T overload the electrical circuits.

DON'T leave tree lights burning when you go out.

DON'T smoke or use matches nearby.

During the war I held my temper and put up with thread breaking, raveling, and knotting, and like everyone else thought when the war was over it would be better. But it hasn't gotten any better and sometime seems worse. Do you know of any company that makes nylon thread, and if so where I can buy it. I believe nylon thread would be wonderful for sewing as it would last and wear good and be a big help for busy housewives who start sewing and have to stop and start all over again because of the condition of the common spool of thread today. B. A. D.

Nylon thread is available in both the regular weight for use in dress making and the heavy duty weight for slip covers, draperies, and such. One shop which has it in most of the colors is located at 725 11th st., nw, and can be reached by calling National 0959.

However, nylon thread is recommended for use only with nylon fabrics because the hot iron which is used on cottons would melt it.

The manufacturers of nylon threads are working on a new process which puts the strands together by a process resembling welding. Since no twisting is involved, thread made by this new process is completely free of tangling. At the present the manufacturers are producing the thread only in quantities to supply dress manufacturers, but eventually it should reach the retail market. Until this thread or an equally tangle-proof cotton thread comes on the market; here are some suggestions to make thread more serviceable:

For hand sewing, there is a wax which can be rubbed on thread. This makes the thread stronger and it will slip through the fabric more readily. The shop mentioned above sells this wax.

Another precaution against knotting and tangling when doing hand sewing is to put the knot in the end of the thread before you break it from the spool. This way, the thread will be pulled through the fabric the same way it was twisted—not opposite to the twist.

If your trouble is largely with machine sewing, your machine may not be in perfect adjustment. Or, the eye of the needle may be worn sharp, thus cutting the thread. Also, your tension or stitch may not be just right. If you are not able to find the trouble yourself, it would be worthwhile to discuss it with your machine repairman.

Please tell me how to take air bubbles out of linoleum. In was laid when the house was built and now has several raised places in the linoleum. Also, where the seam is the linoleum does not lay very flat. E. W.

To remove bulges from linoleum it is necessary to force linoleum cement between the linoleum and the foundation beneath it. In the case of a bubble or bulge where there is no opening through which the cement can be put, it is necessary to cut a straight slit with a razor blade. Work the cement in so that it covers all of the loosened area and then place a heavy weight on the area to hold it down tightly until completely dry and hardened. The same method is used along the edges where it is loose. Before putting the cement under the edges, be sure to remove all dust which may have worked under.

Linoleum sometimes loosens in a new house if too thin a layer of cement was used, or if there is too much dampness in the floor below. This dampness could be from unseasoned wood or could be absorbed in the floor just below from basement dampness. Loosening at cracks can sometimes be traced to using too much water on the floor when scrubbing it. One linoleum expert has said that more linoleum is washed away than is worn away.

Without doubt, water is an enemy of linoleum and should be used sparingly on it and only when necessary. If a good coat of wax is kept on the floor at all times liquids can be easily wiped up and the wax will repel water so that it will not have a chance to soak under it and loosen it.

Do you know of any metal supply shop in the area which sells pewter and copper cut in discs for art metal work? Is there any organization which has classes in metal work? B. Q. H.

The Young Women's Christian Association located at 17th and K sts. nw., plans a class in metal working starting February 1, 1950. Classes will meet on Wednesdays at either 6 or 8 p. m. Because the enrollment in these classes is limited, I suggest if you want to take the course you register for one of them when registration opens on January 3. The instructor of the class arranges for securing all the material, including metal disks for bowls. When the class meets, you decide what you wish to make and the materials are then ordered.

Christmas in Kentucky

The Prince and Princess of Hesse, who have been in Washington briefly, stopping at the Mayflower, will spend Christmas in Kentucky, returning here following the holidays to remain for several months.

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MANASSAS
Now Carries New-Soft
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Bathroom Tissue
In White and Lovely Colors

Christmas Delivery

We will see that your gifts are delivered by Christmas Day, if they are purchased in our store before closing time Saturday, December 24th, for delivery within our delivery area . . .

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And beginning Tuesday, December 27th

Our Store Hours

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F Street *at* Fourteenth

Mary Haworth's Mail

From Page 1.

problems when they first came to live with us, and we are having a hard time adjusting them to their new way of home life.

There are times when Edna treats me indifferently and at such times she will admit she isn't happy. I would much appreciate any advice on how to correct our situation. E. P.

Bewildered Pair Needs Deep Help

DEAR E. P.: The chief remedy for a bad situation in human relations is for each party concerned to start with himself, to improve his mental attitudes and the quality of his behavior.

Already you have made such a start here, in asking for guidance, which indicates an open mind and a willingness to correct mistakes; and it seems to me that both you and Edna are much in need of education for living. Thus I hope her mind is open to help also.

Since Edna's older child is 10 years of age, and Edna herself only 26, presumably she married at the age of 15 years or less, when hardly any older than your elder daughter is now,—thus you can see that she didn't allow herself much time for girlhood; that she undertook the burdens of marriage and motherhood when hardly more than a child herself. And I think this has a lot to do with her depression nowadays, and her moody struggles to leave you at times.

Face "What Is"; Ruinous to Run

ALSO I THINK she broke away from her first marriage in an attempt to escape approximately the same fears that weigh on her now—although of course her former husband may have been a no-account, say a loafer, a spendthrift, unfaithful, etc. In any case, whatever his faults or virtues, she felt that in quitting him to team up with you, she was putting all her worries behind her,—but here they are, all back again, and multiplied a thousandfold.

That's what usually happens when people try to run away from unhappiness—it runs along with them, inside and outside, seeming to gather proportions like a snowball rolling downhill. There is a direct productive relationship between one's innermost feelings and the nature of one's unfolding experiences. Holy Scripture explains it by saying, "As a man thinketh in his heart, so is he."

For advice: (1) Edna must recognize that deserting you isn't the solution of her misery. (2) However, you must understand that she is emotionally ill, and physically taxed beyond her strength just now, by endless household drudgery in an atmosphere of money-worries and hostile dealings with your daughters. (3) The only way out of your troubles is "up," by means of cooperative growth, and I urge you to go together, in mutual sympathy, to the Family Service Society in your city for psychological help in getting your bearings. M. H.

VIRGINIA'S Girl FRIDAY
Merry Christmas
NO SALES TAX
PLENTY OF PARKING IN VIRGINIA

SANTA COME LATELY . . . take heart! Lillian Bause has lovely last minute Christmas gift lingerie, stunning costume jewelry, adorable fluffy Alpaca bedroom slippers, imported leather shoulder bags, party dresses in lace, crepe and taffeta! A gift from LILLIAN BAUSE under the tree will make Her Christmas more delightful! The Personal Shopping Santa will choose or help in the selection of your gift. 1203 N. Highland. CH. 1501.

GOING, GOING . . . and gone in a few more hours! We are talking about your opportunity to order a fruitcake from the BRENNER BAKERIES! Don't let this Christmas go by without serving in your home one of the finest homemade cakes we've tasted! These fruitcakes will slice without crumbling! What could better accompany your holiday fare than a fruitcake from Brenner's. $1.25 lb. 5867 N. Wash. Blvd., 1320 Pohatan St., 3500 Columbia Pike.

LAST MINUTE GIFT SUGGESTIONS . . . from Taylor's Stationery and Printing Co. include a number of useful and practical items. Anyone on your gift list would welcome a Ronson lighter, a minute flashlight on key chain, a gold pencil, a clip-on book mark, each gift priced at $1. TAYLOR'S, 3155 Wilson Blvd., Clarendon.

DID YOU SEE . . . the Kate Greenaway Pinny's advertised in the Dec. 19 issue of Life magazine? We discovered the very same Kate Greenaway Pinny at Kay's Kiddie Shop in the Fairlington Shopping Center! Pinafore in gay ever-fast stripes, sizes 3-6x $3.98, sixes 7-12, $4.98! The blouse, short or long sleeve, 3-6x, $1.98, 7-12, $2.98. White only. TE. 6688.

LAST MINUTE SUGGESTIONS FOR THE HOME! . . . Furniture, Inc. still has a good selection of Christmas gifts for your home. Surprise Her with a Lane Cedar Chest, a solid brass lamp either table or floor, a Nurre mirror, a solid mahogany Brewster chair, an upholstered chair for the living room and dozens of other gifts from this, Arlington's oldest furniture store. Open eves. 2731 Wilson Blvd.

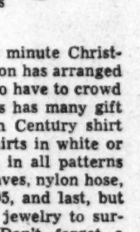
SOMETHING WONDERFUL FOR YOUR WONDERFUL GUY! . . . The Oxford Shop in Falls Church has gifts of distinction, with the practical touch men like. The soft warm nylon pullover sweaters for year 'round rugged wear will bring a hug of appreciation from Him! And the casual, smart pinwale corduroy sports coat by McGregor or a wool flannel shirt, or the Tartan plaid shirts, there are soooo many wonderful gift suggestions at the OXFORD SHOP, you'll just have to see them. 118 N. Wash. Blvd,

BEAUTIFUL NYLON BLOUSES . . . for Christmas is the dream of every woman! RAYE'S not only has lovely blouses but they're inexpensive, too! Nylon blouses in all sizes and most all shades and white, $3.98 to $5.95! Sheer Nylon blouses with handsome detailing $7.95. Raye's is the nice little thrift-minded specialty shop in Westover. 5867 N. Wash. Blvd. KE. 3-7127.

GIFT SUGGESTIONS FROM BONNER'S . . . for those gifting late this year, Bonner's has new arrivals in crepe or flowered rayon bed jackets, $3.95-$4.95, Kiami gowns, $3.95, robes, $11.95. Also extremely nice hosc by either Elba or Stratford in seamless, shadow heels, regular or quite sheer. Reg. $1.19, 60 guage $2.25. 1334 Powhatan St., Alex.

COPPER BY REBAJES . . . goes domestic in handsomely decorated ash trays. Good-sized copper ash trays with raised letter-perfect witty instructions such as "Not on the Rug but Here!" "Put Your Ashes Here, Not in Cup or Saucer!" etc, boxed in sets of four! Saw these wonders for gifting, last minute or otherwise, at MERIDIAN MODES, 3020 Wilson Blvd., Clarendon. CH. 4337, OX. 1204

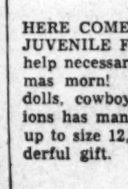
ONLY HOURS 'TIL CHRISTMAS . . . and if you haven't completed your gift list, the VANITY BOX has provided some choice gift selections to please Her! Truly lovely handkerchiefs either exquisitely embroidered, handsomely plain or beautifully done photographic prints! Delightfully feminine French designed gloves by Hansen, choice of fabrics and leathers for dress or sports! Fragrant Frances Denny Christmacy "Mrs. Santa Comes to Town" packages! Gleamingly divine imported stones set in 14 karat gold designed necklaces, earrings or pendants! The Vanity Box, Wash.-Lee Shopping Center. (Opp. Ft. Myer on Wash. Blvd.).



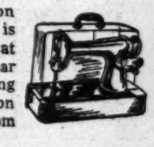
McQUINN'S, sporting goods . . . is a sporting Santa's headquarters! Where else could you find sports equipment so well represented if not McQuinn's? Really, we've seen outfits for all sporting interests. If the man in your life is asking for golf clubs, a nylon golf bag, ice or roller skates, a uniform for the team, etc., this very complete sporting goods shop is the place! 1041 N. Highland. GL. 7717.

THE LAST ROUND-UP . . . for last minute Christmas shoppers! HONICK'S in Clarendon has arranged to have select gift items for those who have to crowd shopping into a few hours! Honick's has many gift ideas including the fine Van Heusen Century shirt or other equally fine Van Heusen shirts in white or pastels, $3.95, handsome Argyle sox in all patterns and sizes, colorful sweaters in all weaves, nylon hose, all wool muffler and glove sets, $3.95, and last, but not least an array of neckwear and jewelry to surprise Him on Christmas morn. Don't forget a Honick Gift Certificate. 3130 Wilson Blvd.

GUARANTEED PERMANENTS! . . . you invest safely and wisely when you have a Jules "guaranteed" permanent wave! First, every operator is trained in Jules own "corrective" technique of permanent waving. Second, all Jules' tried and true solutions are selected from years of research and experience. Third, the price is within range of every housewife! From $8.50. JULES HAIR STYLIST STUDIOS are located 1619 King St., Alex., AL. 1086; 805 Bashford Lane, TE. 7140; Shirlington Shopping Center, TE. 6014.



HERE COMES SANTA! . . . Santa can depend on JUVENILE FASHIONS to give all the last minute help necessary to make Sis or Jr. happy on Christmas morn! Here you'll find Velo King tricycles, dolls, cowboy accessories, games! Juvenile Fashions has many items of clothing for boys and girls up to size 12, any one of which would make a wonderful gift. Wash.-Lee Shopping Center.



MRS. SANTA SEWS TOO! . . . and is asking for a Free-Westinghouse sewing unit in her stocking on Christmas morn! She knows Free-Westinghouse is the finest lowest priced portable on the market at only $79.25! This is the machine with the 20-year guarantee along with many features your sewing demands. The Va. Sewing Center, 2918 Wilson Blvd., Clarendon, has this model and others from which to make your selection!

SANTA TAKES TO THE AIR . . . in his enthusiasm at finding such a complete book shop in the Nat'l Airport Terminal! Last minute gifting is greatly simplified at the Airport Book Shop where Best Sellers and the more serious writers together with Juvenile books can be had. The AIRPORT BOOK SHOP is easy to reach and has no parking problem! Open 'til midnite. ST. 6850.

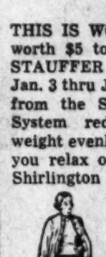
SANTA COMES TO TOWN . . . this very weekend and are you all in readiness? How about the Christmas stockings? ARROWSMITH'S has simply adorable stocking items for as little as 29c. Fascinating useful items! And for those last minute gifts, Arrowsmith's has any number of Christmacy gifts from the Gift Bar such as curvex mirrors, wall planters, smoking accessories, book-ends and myriads of others! Beautiful sweaters in separates or pairs, frothy lingerie, sheer hosiery, gorgeous paisley scarves! 1701 King St. (Reed Theater Bldg.), Alex.

CARPETING FROM CARDWELL'S . . . is sure to put Christmas on good footing! Everytime we see the roll after roll of carpeting in the shop's showroom, we're amazed at the huge selection of weaves, patterns and colors. Why, in the twist weave alone, there are 36 shades, all on separate rolls, not a small sample from which to make your selection! We urge visiting Cardwell's when you're ready to carpet your home. No where else in this area will you find the selection nor the sincere effort to please! Two locations, 640 N. Glebe, 801 G St. N.W.

WINTER SUITS REDUCED! . . . The CLOTHES HORSE in the Shirlington Shopping Center has 20 all-wool suits reduced for quick clearance! Originally up to $70, now reduced to $35. (While they last, of course!) Sizes 9 thru 18. Sharkskins, Gabardines, Tweeds, Checks! The Clothes Horse, Shirlington Shopping Center. TE. 4662.

GIFT CERTIFICATE
Wynn's
To Libby Dye
From John Jones

ALL YOU GIFT SEEKERS, MALE AND FEMALE . . . Wynn's can find a happy solution to any gift problem in haste as well as good taste! Wynn's gift certificate for $5, $10, $15, $20, or $25 is ideal for gifting and greatly simplifies the question, "What Shall I Get?" (a gentle hint to husbands). With a gift certificate she can choose something she wants from Wynn's beautiful selection of dresses, suits, coats, blouses, lingerie, hats and hosiery. WYNN'S 2 locations in Arlington, 3134 Wilson Blvd., cor. Glebe Rd. and Lee Hwy.



THIS IS WORTH $5.00 TO YOU! . . . This ad is worth $5 toward the purchase of any one of the STAUFFER SYSTEM reducing treatments beginning Jan. 3 thru Jan. 15! This is your New Year's greeting from the Stauffer System of Va. The Stauffer System reducing treatments redistributes your weight evenly with passive automatic exercises while you relax on a comfortable Stauffer lounge table. Shirlington Shopping Center. KI. 8-6872.

JO COLLINS FOLLOWERS . . . Paul's has one of the best looking outfits we've seen! Four interchangeable pieces in one dress! Slacks, vest, skirt or jacket can be worn as separates! Other separates we saw at PAUL'S included beautiful jersey blouses to be worn with tweed, jersey, gabardine, woolen skirts that all fit to perfection! Paul's, 3143 Wilson Blvd., Clarendon.

HARMONY IN DRAPERIES . . . is easily yours when HARMONY DRAPERIES, Interior Decorators, 4518 Lee Hgwy., styles them for your home! The pattern and color scheme is all arranged by experienced professionals and all work is done under direct supervision of the Misters Corbeille. The shop specializes in upholstered cornices, festoon valances, traverse draperies. Fabrics can also be had by the yard. OW. 7322. OX. 3453.

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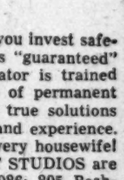
SPAGHETTI SPECIALISTS! . . . the Casa Mia Restaurant, 3217 Columbia Pike, owned and managed by E. Frank Coco, specializes in home cooked Italian sauces. Home made specials include Risotta a la Milanese, ravioli, lasagni al forno, Casa Mia spaghetti, etc. The CASA MIA will be closed December 25, 26, 27. Open December 28. 3217 Columbia Pike. OW. 9030.

NO MOANING AT THE BAR . . . with the cellarette we saw at MILLER-WRENN in the Lee Shopping Center! Completely equipped with glasses, etc., the mahogany veneer cabinet is priced $34.60! Wonderful as a television table and perfect for your holiday festivities! Miller-Wrenn is Arlington's new and modern furniture store. OW. 4343.

YOUR CHILD DESERVES THE BEST . . . care possible for his or her growing feet! Edwards Corec-Tred shoes for children found at YORK'S are built to help your child's feet function as they should. If your child shows signs of developing pronation let York's correctly fit Edwards shoes to his feet. $5.45-$7.95. Fairlington Shopping Center, Alex.

MENTION THIS AD . . . and receive a child's three-piece feeding set from any one of the BABY FAIR SHOPS at reduced price! It's an adorable feeding set and will entertain the little one at feeding time with the nursery characters gamboling over the surface of the plate! Original price $1.00, with the ad, 77c. 815 King St., 3901 Mount Vernon Ave., Alexandria; 3155 Wilson Blvd., Arlington.



CARLYLE HOUSE ANTIQUES! . . . for those giving antique glass, prints, bric-a-brac, etc., we suggest visiting the Carlyle House in Alexandria. Considerable reductions are in effect on a number of fine pieces. The Carlyle House is fascinating! You'll enjoy browsing among the many lovely and handsome antiques. 133 N. Fairfax, Alexandria.

THE GREEN OF THE EMERALD ISLE . . . has been captured by Libby in the emerald green old fashions and highball glasses we saw at MAYER'S! Beautifully cut glass to make a lovely appearance at your Christmas party! Boxed for gifting, set of 8 for $1.50. Mayer's, 3169 Wilson Blvd. OX. 1171. Open eves. Ample parking in rear.

A Very Merry Christmas from your Girl FRIDAY

The swirling skirt dress
by "Rite-Fit"
$7.95

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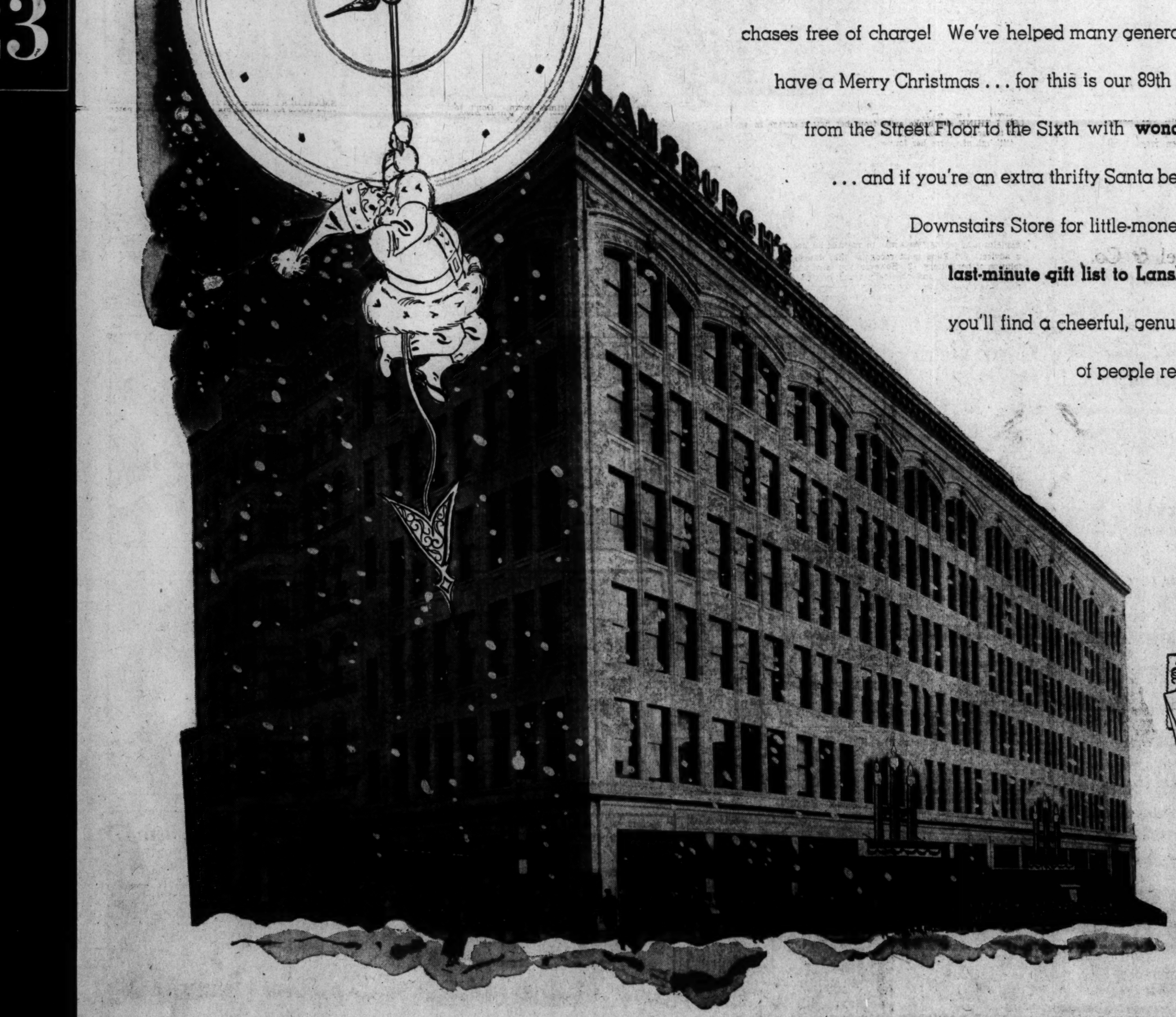

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THE DISTRICT LINE

by Bill Gold

Here's Chance for GOP To Get a Man Into The White House

Margaret Truman says she wouldn't turn down a possible suitor just because he happened to be a Republican.

Well, she wouldn't have to get Senate confirmation for a Republican fiance, but there's still the danger of a Presidential veto.

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AW, BUY SEVEN SETS

Our advertising department will no doubt hate me for publicizing this letter, but Mrs. E. A. Arneson of 5808 Dewey st., Cheverly, Md., suggests that families with seven children should think twice before buying television sets.

Mrs. Arneson explains that when the family first got its video receiver, it was on the strength of reports that "nothing will keep a child quiet, and out of mischief, as well as a television set."

This theory may work out in smaller families, sighs Mrs. A., but not with seven kids—all with different program preferences.

"They fight over seating facilities," she reports, "they fight over which stations should be tuned in, and they even fight over how loud the sound should be.

"By the time Daddy gets home, instead of finding his happy little family grouped around the television set, the set is off and the children are upstairs.

"And if one strains an ear, faint accusing voices can be heard: 'If you'da kept your big mouth shut . . . Aw, you're a spoiled brat . . . It was my turn to see Morton Downey and get your big foot offa me . . . Mama! He's hitting me'."

This is indeed a serious problem, but I'm sure I'll never be called upon to solve it at our house. If we ever have seven children, I know we won't be able to afford any television sets.

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GIVE-AWAYS

"Black 4-month-old kitten, half Siamese." (Oliver 7691, nights.)

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SILVER LINING

New York's water shortage is probably proving to be a boon to manufacturers of electric razors.

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MISCELLANY

"The Christmas decorations in the apartment house windows on Broad st., along Tyler Gardens, remind me of the old days when we lived on Beacon Hill in Boston," says **Mrs. A. E. Casgrain** of 603 Langston lane, Falls Church, Va. . . . The gang at the National Engraving Co. are suckers for any stray animal that walks into the shop. Currently they've been adopted by a kitten (promptly named "Halftone") who lives in the plant during the week and is taken home by various employes, in turn, over the weekends, when there'd be nobody around to provide food and company . . . **Lois E. Broadus** of 302 M st. nw. tells me that the East Central Civic Association is sponsoring a Christmas party for children of the area at 5 tomorrow afternoon, on the grounds of the Bundy School, O st. between 4th and 5th sts. nw. . . . **Florence Butt** of 1611 Park rd. nw. reminds us that the National Council of Jewish Women is holding a holiday dance in the South American Room of the Statler tomorrow night, with the proceeds to be used for social welfare work . . . A Christmas party for a group of orphans will be held at the AVC Clubhouse, 1751 New Hampshire ave. nw., between 2 and 5 tomorrow afternoon. The publicity release says that "Santa Claus will be played by Cody Phanstiel," but in spite of the spelling and the whiskers I recognize him as that eminent speleologist, **Cody Pfanstiehl** of WTOP . . . If you're feeling sorry for yourself these days, **Clara G. Sult** of 1215 B st. se. suggests you think of those wonderful folks at the Union Station information bureau who answer a jillion questions for holiday travelers without losing their friendly touch . . . Hats off to the Sidney Lust theaters for closing on Christmas Eve, so that employes can spend the evening with their families . . . Well, here it is the end of another year, and here comes the usual notice from the bookkeeping department: "Please check the social security number we have listed for you, and let us know if it is correct" . . . Are they kidding? I haven't seen my original social security number in ten years.

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OH, EXCUSE ME

Edith Silverberg of 248 K st. sw., responds with a "that ain't the way I heard it" to our recent item about the Greenpernt lad who hoid the boids choiping. Edith says that the little jingle she heard in Bronx Park went:

"Spring is here, de boids is on de wing . . . But that's absoid, de wings is on the boid."

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The Lyons Den

By Leonard Lyons

NEW YORK.—Elliott Roosevelt, who persuaded his mother to sit for a portrait by Douglas Chandor, owns another portrait of Eleanor Roosevelt made without her knowledge. In 1933 all five Roosevelt children contributed $500 each to commission an artist to paint Mrs. Roosevelt's picture. They knew that she never would agree to pose, and so they arranged for the artist to attend countless functions where Mrs. Roosevelt would be present. It took him six months to paint it . . . They presented it to the President on his birthday. Mrs. Roosevelt saw it, wept and ran from the room. And it's taken Elliott 16 years to get her to consent to pose.

Time magazine's Man of the Half Century probably will be Winston Churchill . . . Edward Fitz Gerald, the Irish-born chief probation officer of Brooklyn, who went to Israel as an expert penologist and to give them the benefit of his long experience with crime, had his belongings stolen from his room in Tel Aviv last week . . . John C. Wilson, the producer-director, will join Noel Coward in Jamaica next month, to work with him on two new Coward shows, one of them a musical . . . Ernest Bevin's Christmas card is a print of Whitehall—but as the government office section looked 100 years ago.

The Harvard Corporation has refused to permit its 102-year-old Hasty Pudding Club to accept commercial sponsorship of a telecast of the annual show . . . Gerald Kersh, the novelist, returned to New York last week and fell victim to pneumonia. Although his fever reached 104, he called in his secretary and dictated the last chapters. When his fever abated Kersh learned that he had dictated 10,000 words and needed to change only one line.

MARK TRAIL

HEY, BITSY! LOOK AT GOOBER... HE'S ON BIRDS!
HE'S A NATURAL, BITSY!
ED DODD 12-23
I'VE BEEN TRYING TO TRAIN HIM A LITTLE WHEN I CAN GET AWAY FROM POP
BITSY, YOU LOVE DOGS, DON'T YOU?
I SURE DO! I'D RATHER BE AROUND DOGS THAN ANYTHING ELSE IN THE WORLD!
OKAY, PAL... I'VE JUST COME THROUGH WITH AN IDEA THAT'S A DINGER!

MARY WORTH

IT'S GOOD TO HEAR YOUR VOICE, DRUM! ..SOUNDING SO STRONG AND WELL!.. AND I WISH I COULD TELL YOU I'VE MADE UP MY MUDDLED MIND ABOUT US! BUT I'LL BE HONEST..I HAVEN'T!
MERELY CALLED UP TO ASK ME FOR A MILLION DOLLARS, EH?
SOUNDS A LITTLE LIKE AN OFFER TO DO SOME HORSE-TRADING, MARY!
IF I THOUGHT ..THAT YOU THOUGHT..FOR ONE MINUTE..
JUST A SENILE JOKE, MARY!..NOW, LISTEN!..ONE THING I ADMIRE ABOUT YOU IS YOUR SOUND JUDGMENT!...
IF YOU SAY THOSE KIDS ARE A GOOD INVESTMENT, I'LL BACK 'EM! AND THERE ARE NO STRINGS ATTACHED!..NO STRINGS FROM DAN CUPID'S BOW, THAT IS!
12-23-49

STEVE CANYON

12-23
YES, DOE...
STEVE!
I SUPPOSE YOU KNOW WHAT DATE IT IS...
APPROXIMATELY —YES
I'VE BEEN TRYING TO THINK OF A GIFT FOR YOU...
AW, DOE —YOU'RE KIDDING!
NO I'M NOT...I'VE GOT NOTHING TO OFFER EXCEPT T.L.C.!
MILTON CANIFF

JOE PALOOKA

UNABLE TO REACH HIS LAWYER, KNOBBY GOT JERRY OUT ON BAIL... IT'S NOW THE WEE SMALL HOURS.
YA SURE GOT ME IN A MESS...I KNOW YA MEANT WELL...DONNIE'S AT TH' CHILDERN'S S'SOCIETY.. AN' T'MORRA...AN' T'MORRA THEY'LL PROB'LY TAKE 'IM AWAY FROM ME...
YEAH! YOU GOT TROUBLES...MEBBE I GIT A KIT-NAPPIN' RAP T'ROWED AT ME... YOU GOT TROUBLES.. OOOH...
SIX A.M.
JOE DEAR...KNOBBY'S ON THE PHONE... DONNIE'S FOUND AND IS FINE...LUCKY YOU DIDN'T START OUT ON ROAD-WORK...
GREAT!
I GOTTA BE IN CHILDERN'S COURT... JERRY DONE IT... YEAH...NO...DON'T COME T'COURT...YA GOTTA TRAIN... TH' FIGHT'S NEXT WEEK... YEAH I'M ALMOST NUTS...
THE HECK WITH THE FIGHT... I'LL BE IN COURT...GEE I'M GLAD DONNIE'S BACK.. DON'T WORRY, OLD PAL.
12-23
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PENNY

UM-M-M LET'S SEE NOW.
HM-M-M-M.
THE SQUARE ROOT OF SIXTEEN EQUALS FOUR XY MINUS TWO.
THEN FOUR EQUALS....
WELL, IT'S SAFE TO PUT AWAY THE HOMEWORK NOW...
I'VE FINISHED THE DISHES.
12-23

DOTTY

HE KEEPS LIMPING ON THAT LEFT FOOT!
IT'S A SPLINTER- I'LL TAKE IT OUT AND PUT A BANDAGE ON IT--
VETERINARY P.D. WOOF
MR. DRIPPLE, HAVE YOU BOUGHT PEPPER'S CHRISTMAS PRESENT YET?
NO-- NOT YET-
WELL, I LIKE TO DO SOMETHING NICE FOR ALL MY LITTLE PATIENTS AT CHRISTMAS TIME--
-SO I'VE WRAPPED IT AS A GIFT!
12-23
BUFORD TUNE

OZARK IKE

95 YARDS FER A TOUCH-DOWN ON THE 'KICKOFF!
ONLY THE McBATTS FERGOT TH' BAWL!
BUT THEY DONE OUTRACED THEM FATFIELDS BACK DOWNFIELD T' MAKE A RECOVERY ON THE FIVE-YARD LINE!
THEM McBATTS DONE RUN THEMSELVES PLUMB OUTA BREATH!... SO THEY'RE SENDIN' OZARK BACK T' KICK 'EM OUTA DANGUH!
PIGSKIN, STEER CLEAR UF THEM CLOUDS!
YOW! PAST MID-FIELD AN' STILL CLIMBIN'!
12-23

MICKEY FINN

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I WONDER IF MR. GIGGLEHEIMER THINKS THAT PHIL IS BOTHERING HIM TOO MUCH, MRS. FINN? I MEAN ABOUT THE RIVER FRONT KIDS! THAT BIG DINNER FOR RED FEDDER —AND NOW THIS CHRISTMAS PARTY!
I DON'T KNOW, FLOSSIE! IT HAS ME WORRIED, TOO! PHILIP DOESN'T SEEM TO REALIZE THAT MR. GIGGLEHEIMER IS A VERY BUSY MAN!
SHERIFF FINN IS HERE AGAIN, SIR!
SEND HIM IN! BUT -AH- I HAVE SOMETHING IMPORTANT TO TAKE UP WITH HIM TODAY- SO I'M NOT TO BE DISTURBED UNTIL HE LEAVES!
I SEE YOU GOT IT!
YOU BET I DID! THE WHOLE WORKS!
RUDOLPH GIGGLEHEIMER PRESIDENT PRIVATE
WELL, WHAT DO YOU, THINK?
PERFECT!

REX MORGAN, M. D.

THE PROFESSOR IS DOWN AT POLICE HEADQUARTERS, ALBERT! THE CAPTAIN IS HAVING A LITTLE TALK WITH HIM!
WHY? THE PROFESSOR AIN'T DONE NOTHING!
THE POLICE AREN'T TOO SURE OF THAT! A WOMAN WAS MURDERED AND THE PROFESSOR AND YOU WERE THE LAST TO SEE HER ALIVE!
MRS. WICKS DIED OF A HEART ATTACK!
HOW WOULD YOU KNOW THAT? I'M THE MEDICAL EXAMINER... AND I HAVEN'T COMPLETED MY REPORT... AS YET!
12-23

TERRY AND THE PIRATES

12 23
EYIEEE! WHAT A NIGHT. THE DEVIL HIMSELF WOULDN'T..
WAIT! DO I HEAR THE THUNDER OF MANY HORSES?
FOOL! HOW...
BY THE BEARD OF MY FOREFATHERS! OUR HORSES!
EYIEE! OUR CAMP! THE FOOD! THE AMMUNITION!
AFTER THEM, YOU STUPID DOGS! BEFORE THE STORM SCATTERS THEM ACROSS THESE ACCURSED HILLS!
AND SECONDS LATER...
GEORGE WUNDER

STEVE ROPER

JUST A MINUTE, PAL!-- SINCE WHEN DO SHIP'S OILERS GO AROUND WITH MANICURED MITTS?!
KEEP AWAY FROM HIM, ROPER! CAN HE HELP IT IF HE'S GOT PRIDE?!
BARGE IN
GO ON -- UH -- "SMUDGE POT"! GIT INTO THAT ROWBOAT!!
SAUNDERS-LUGGON
OOOH!

DIXIE DUGAN

A CAR ALMOST HIT DIXIE'S NEMESIS!
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WHEW— THAT WAS CLOSE!
AND IT'S STILL A LITTLE TOO CLOSE -TAKE YOUR ARMS AWAY, MISTER
UM-HMMMM- FRESH GUY, EH?
? ?!
OH-UH-NO, OFFICER -WE'RE OLD FRIENDS- IT'S JUST THAT- UH- WE HAVEN'T SEEN EACH OTHER FOR SO LONG—
YEH— AND AT CHRISTMAS TIME, OFFICER-YOU-YOU DON'T KNOW HOW WE FEEL AT THE MOMENT—
SMACK
J. RIGGS

MYRTLE

WHAT'S THE MATTER, MOM?
I WAS JUST READING THE MOST ROMANTIC STORY. THE PRINCESS WOULD HOLD HER HAND OUT THE WINDOW AND THE BRAVE KNIGHT WOULD RIDE BY AND KISS HER LILY-WHITE FINGERS (SIGH!)
AUDREY TISHERZ
WHAT A NIGHT!
12-23
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WINNIE WINKLE

OH, DARLING-- YOU'RE HOME, BUT YOUR ARM -- IT'S-- IT'S BROKEN!
WELL, HONEY-- IF IT WASN'T, I WOULDN'T BE HOME NOW---
BUT, SAY-- THE KIDS DIDN'T SEEM A BIT SURPRISED THAT I CAME HOME!
IT'S A LONG STORY, DEAR-- BUT THEY KNEW YOU'D BE HOME FOR CHRISTMAS!
POOR DADDY-- HIS ARM IS BROKEN, BUT HE'S HOME!
YEAH-- ELMER AN' SANTA DIDN'T SAY NOTHIN' ABOUT DADDY FALLIN' AN' BREAKIN' HIS ARM!
HE DIDN'T FALL, KIDDIES-- HE WAS PUSHED-- BY ME!
ELMER!
BRANNER

DONALD DUCK

NAPOLEON

WHAT IN SAM HILL'S THIS CONFOUNDED CONTRAPTION HIDING HERE IN TH' CLOSET?
AW GEE, UNCLE ELBY, THAT'S YOUR CHRISTMAS PRESENT! I INVENTED IT AND BUILT IT ALL BY MYSELF.
YOU SEE, UNCLE ELBY, IT'S A COMBINATION CLOTHES RACK, UMBRELLA STAND, BRIDGE LAMP AND BOOK HOLDER.
WILLIE, EVERY CHRISTMAS EVE WE READ DICKENS' CHRISTMAS CAROL AND I DECLARE I'VE NEVER HAD SUCH A GOOD LIGHT ON IT BEFORE.

FERD'NAND

Merry Menagerie—By Walt Disney

"Oh, yes, I have TWO cubs. Why do you ask?"

Dr. Sanders Elected

Chicago, Dec. 22 (AP).—Dr. P. D. Sanders of Richmond, Va., was elected chairman of the National Farm Electrification Conference today. Among regional vice chairmen chosen was C. E. Seitz, Virginia Polytechnic Institute, Blacksburg, Va.

Merry-Go-Round

Gag Removal Gets Truth On Spy Yarn

By Drew Pearson

Friends of Gen. Leslie Groves planted a story in Newsweek that Groves was all set "to give credence by innuendo to Fulton Lewis's charges that Henry Wallace urged shipments of atom materials to Russia. Groves was planning, according to Newsweek, to say that he was barred from discussing the matter by a presidential directive, and he had "actually brought the text of an FDR wartime order into the committee hearing room."

Gen. Groves

But, continued Newsweek, "what made him change his mind and completely absolve not only Wallace but Hopkins is a mystery."

Newsweek's mystery, however, is not really a mystery at all.

Astute Congressman Francis Walter of Pennsylvania heard what was afoot and called the general's bluff. Learning that Groves was planning to wave an FDR directive as a blind for his innuendo attack, Walter put in a phone call to the Department of Defense with highly interesting results.

When Groves took the stand, his first words were about the "directive," which, he said, enjoined him from discussing personnel before a congressional committee.

"Oh, that's been rescinded," interrupted Walter. "I just talked with one of the Assistant Secretaries in the Defense Department and was assured that you could speak out freely about these alleged shipments. You're at liberty to tell us all you know, to help us clear up this matter."

Groves looked like he had been hit with a belaying pin.

Faced with the obligation of testifying on the record regarding cold facts, the general gave Hopkins and Wallace a clean bill of health.

Coffee Price Finagling

Senator Guy Gillette of Iowa, who has been doing a good job of probing the zoom in coffee prices, is also checking on some shenanigans of the New York Coffee Exchange, apparently aimed at keeping prices pegged high.

Normally, Brazilian producers and exporters, which supply about half our coffee needs, are sellers on the exchange. However, Gillette has information that certain Brazilians also have been buying up all the coffee futures they can get their hands on so they can be in a controlling position to maintain inflated prices.

Some American brokers don't like the smell of the foreign intrusion in the Coffee Exchange and have refused to handle the accounts of Brazilian traders, numbering 40 or 50 in all. However, others, including Ruffner, Burch & Co., Leon Israel & Bros. and Schwabach & Co.—all of New York—haven't balked at accepting the foreign accounts.

This partly explains why trading on the Coffee Exchange has doubled since speculators started rumors about the "coffee shortage" scare—rumors that have been proved groundless. It is one reason, also, why coffee continues to sell from 25 to 30 cents a pound more than it should. For the more coffee futures are bought in by the speculators, the more they are able to control prices.

Another factor in the price rise, of course, has been hoarding by jittery housewives, which has reduced stocks in retail stores. Commerce Department records show that 229 million pounds of green coffee were roasted for sale in October and 238 million pounds in November, compared with a monthly average of 182 million pounds in July, August and September.

Most of this excess is on the pantry shelf.

Capital News Capsules

Unbossed Board.—Averell Harriman, top ECA representative in Europe, has just been offered the chairmanship of the long-unbossed National Security Resources Board. He declined. This board, one of the most important in Washington, has been without a director for more than a year—part of the time because of the row over the appointment of Truman's friend, former Gov. Mon Wallgren of Washington.

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BURL IVES, A-407, ballads and folk songs, 4 10-in. records, 78 rpm **3.94**

I'LL SEE YOU IN MY DREAMS, A-624, Carmen Cavallaro at the piano, 4 10-in. records, 78 rpm **3.94**

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